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PHILIPPINE TALK.

SENATE CANNOT GET AWAY FROM SUBJECT.

SENATOR DEPEW IS HEARD

HE REPLIES TO REMARKS OF SENATOR PETTIGREW.

SOUTH DAKOTA MAN'S CHARGE

BOER WAR IS DISCUSSED IN THE HOUSE.

Washington, Feb. 7.—Mr. Vest, of Missouri, today proposed in the senate an amendment to the pending financial bill providing that the secretary of the treasury shall have prepared $200,000,000 of treasury notes, to be known as "bond treasury notes." They shall be full legal tender for all debts and shall be loaned by the secretary of the treasury to anybody who may deposit United States bonds for them, the note to bear the same interest as the bonds deposited.

Mr. Tillman, of South Carolina, offered and had passed a resolution calling for information from the secretary of the treasury as to the status of the claims of South Carolina for moneys paid out by the state in the Florida war.

At the conclusion of routine business a discussion of the Philippine question was unexpectedly precipitated by Mr. Depew, of New York, who called attention to some remarks made a few days ago by Mr. Pettigrew, in the course of which he quoted an alleged interview with President Schurman, of the Philippine commission, which appeated in a Chicago newspaper, and in which he was quoted as saying that Aguinaldo was honest. In his remarks Mr. Pettigrew said Mr. Schurman tried to bribe the insurgents and failed.

Mr. Depew said he had received a letter from Prof. Schurman with regard to the charges of the South Dakota senator, which he desired to place before the senate. The letter stated that the charge was absolutely without foundation.

Senator Depew, in commenting on the matter, said at the time the speech of the senator from South Dakota was being delivered President Schurman was in the city assisting in the preparation of the report of the Philippine commission and was competent to be summoned as a witness.

Admiral Dewey, whom the senator quoted in support of his charges, was also in the city at his residence and was most easily accessible. He might have summoned both President Schurman and Admiral Dewey and any statements they made with reference to the matter would be unquestioningly accepted by the American people as true.

Mr. Depew referred to the letter of Admiral Dewey presented by Mr. Lodge, denying the statements of Aguinaldo, saying that both Dewey and Schurman had absolutely denied the statements attributed to them. Before the statements of Dewey and Schurman the charges of Mr. Pettigrew disappeared as Aguinaldo's army had vanished before the American troops.

Mr. Pettigrew in reply said:

"I charge that the facts of this question are being withheld and what information is sent to us is garbled; and I charge that we attacked an ally and made a compact with slavery."

At the close of the morning business Mr. Turner, of Washington, spoke against the pending financial bill.

IN THE HOUSE.

Washington, Feb. 7.—At the opening of the session of the house today a senate bill was passed authorizing the Southeastern railroad to construct a bridge across the Lumber river.

The house then resumed the consideration of the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill. Although general debate closed yesterday by unanimous consent, Mr. Shafroth (Col.) was allowed forty-five minutes in which to complete a speech he made last week in favor of mediation by the United States in the South African war.

Under the Hague treaty he contended that England could not consider an offer of mediation an unfriendly act. In reply to questions he insisted that the South African Republic was an independent government, notwithstanding Great Britain's claim of suzerainty. While the British were demanding relief in the South African Republic, he said, 3,000 Dutch residents of British Guiana, born upon British soil who are not allowed to hold office in the legislative, executive or judicial branches of the colonial government were petitioning for relief. Their cases were almost analogous to those of the Outlanders in the Transvaal. Yet Great Britain refused to listen to the Dutch in her own colony.

Mr. Shafroth said he did not advocate armed intervention or even mediation, but only the tender of our good offices under section 3 of The Hague treaty.

Mr. Grosvenor (Ohio) replied briefly to Mr. Shafroth, saying that the ratifications of The Hague treaty have not been exchanged. He said he sympathized with any people struggling for liberty. Proceeding he set the house in a roar by running over the history of Europe, pointing out here and there the wrongs suffered by Hungarians, Finlanders, Poles, etc., all of which were represented in his district, yet the United States had not felt called upon to interfere.

He concluded with the suggestion that a commission of twenty-five members at salaries of $20,000 each be appointed to roam over the earth to discover where wrongs have been committed and to report to the house in order that the United States might go to war every time the kin of any of our constituents were oppressed.

William Alden Smith, of Michigan, said he was not authorized to speak for the administration, but he knew that if our government was requested to act by either party to the conflict its kindly offices would be willingly placed at their disposal.

He did not state that such offer had been made.

The bill was then read for amendment under the five-minute rule.

PLANS FOR NEW BUILDING

PREPARATIONS FOR DEWALD BLOCK.

The Structure Will Be Five Stories and of Handsome Exterior—Other Buildings.

Architect Charles E. Kendrick has been instructed by the Geo. DeWald company and M. F. Kaag to prepare plans for the new buildings which are to be erected on the site of those burned December 27 last. The new DeWald building will be 40x110 feet and will be of buff pressed brick, with terra cotta trimmings. It will be five stories in height, with basement. The ground under the sidewalks will be excavated and the space will be used for the steam heating plant, coal bins, etc. The basement will be cemented. The ceilings of all stories will be of steel, but the floors and other fittings will be of wood. There will be two elevators, a passenger and a freight, and these will be operated by electricity. The building will be lighted by electricity. The exterior of the building will present a handsome appearance and will be about the height of the Elektron building. The DeWald company will occupy the entire building.

The store to be erected by M. F. Kaag will be similar in nearly every respect to the DeWald building.

Mr. Kendrick is also preparing plans for a store building for Horace Marriotte, which will be erected on West Main street, next to the shop formerly occupied by Charles Miller as a gun shop. This building will be of brick, three stories in height and will be 20x100 feet. It will have all the latest conveniences.

Plans are being prepared by Mr. Kendrick for the remodeling of the residence of Charles S. Bash, on West Wayne street. The house will be widened and an attic story will be built on the front. Two stories will be added to the rear part to make it on a level with the front wing. The house will be decorated and painted and when completed will be one of the handsomest in the west end.

Other plans which are being prepared by Mr. Kendrick are for the erection of a two-story frame house for George DeWald in the rear of his home, facing on Creighton avenue; for the remodeling of the house at 289 St. Marys avenue, owned by Horace Marriotte.

TRAINMEN INJURED.

Chicago, Feb. 7.—Two switch engines collided on the Wisconsin Central road in Franklin park today, injuring four trainmen, two of them probably fatally. It was reported that one of the engines was drawing a passenger train, but this proved to be untrue.

Mrs. Clara York, of Plymouth, who was visiting with Fort Wayne friends, has gone to Columbia City to visit with the family of ex-Sheriff Hull.

BEAT THEM BACK.

BOERS SAY THEY REPULSED BULLER'S ADVANCE.

BATTLE AT UPPER TUGELA

THE BRITISH CANNONADE WAS TERRIFIC.

THE FIGHTING PROGRESSES

ROBERTS AND KITCHENER GO TO THE FRONT.

Boer Head Laager, Ladysmith, Tuesday, Feb. 6.—Since yesterday the British, with naval and other guns, have bombarded our positions on the Upper Tugela. The troops crossed the river at the pont and at Molen drift, with the object of storming our positions.

At the former General Burger beat them back and they re-crossed in great confusion. The fighting continues at Molen drift with the Standarton and Johannesburg commandoes.

There were no casualties on our side.

The cannonade was the fiercest yet experienced. There was a continuous roaring all day long. This morning it recommenced with an increased number of guns.

London, Feb. 7.—The Associated Press learns that the war office today received a telegram saying, briefly, that General Buller had again recrossed the Tugela river February 5 and is now advancing upon Ladysmith.

GO TO THE FRONT.

Cape Town, Feb. 7.—Lord Roberts and General Kitchener have started for the front.

SUSPENSE UNRELIEVED.

London, Feb. 7.—While the suspense regarding General Buller's movements and the operations affecting the fate of Ladysmith continues unrelieved, even by the vaguest despatches, there comes from other quarters interesting news. In the announcement that Field Marshal Lord Roberts, the commander-in-chief of the British forces, in South Africa, and his chief of staff, Major General Lord Kitchener, have left for the front. As this information was held up for several hours by the censor, it seems to indicate that an important movement is on foot.

A despatch from Sterkstroom, dated this morning, announces that the Boers are attacking General Gatacre from two directions. Firing was then proceeding between the outposts. A delayed Sterkstroom despatch, dated Monday, February 5, says that a body of troops left the camp February 20 and developments were expected.

It is quite probable that this explains Lord Roberts' departure and that the commander-in-chief wishes either to be present at or supervise the long-intended movements by General Gatacre to join forces with General Kelly-Kenny, and thence strongly reinforce General French, completing the latter's work at Colesberg and establishing without fear of serious opposition the advanced position for the main movement.

This, of course, is greatly a supposition, and it can be confidently said that the departure of Lord Roberts and Lord Kitchener for the front does not indicate that the main advance has begun.

The commanders will probably be back to Cape Town within a short time. It is pointed out that the term going to the front must not be interpreted into the idea that a great movement upon Pretoria, by way of Bloemfontein, has seriously commenced. It will be a month, or perhaps much longer, before this can be brought about. In the meanwhile the preliminary steps are likely to enliven the campaign with sharp fighting, and news from Sterkstroom, Thebus and Colesberg is eagerly awaited.

Supposition regarding General Buller owing to lack of all definite information is as futile as it was yesterday.

CAUSED EXCITEMENT.

When the dispatch announcing the fighting on the upper Tugela was published there was the usual scene of excitement on the street. The big placards attracted newspaper buyers, and the news was eagerly discussed in all quarters.

There was notable excitement in the house of commons, where, in addition to the war office announcement that General Buller had crossed the Tugela Monday and was advancing upon Ladysmith, a news agency telegram was posted saying that one hundred additonal ambulance stretchers had been sent to the front from Durban.

The war office at present is only able to add, regarding General Buller's advance, "the operations are still in progress, but we have no information regarding the result."

The available maps do not show the drifts mentioned in the Boer dispatch. The rush in the direction of the war office when it was learned that confirmation had been received there of the report that General Buller is again advancing evidenced the anxiety of the public to obtain the latest details.

The war office message as given furnishes no clue as to where the Tugela was crossed, nor the numbers opposed to General Buller's movement, but it is presumed this third attempt will be a supreme effort on the part of the general to cut his way through and that in it he will employ every available man. The expression in the official dispatch "is now advancing on Ladysmith," it is pointed out, is not to be taken to mean that he has cut down all opposition, but merely that he is headed in the direction of the besieged town and the public therefore are naturally on the tenterhooks in regard to the next news.

REDMOND IS CHEERED.

London, Feb. 7.—John Redmond, chairman of the United Irish party, was loudly cheered by all sections of the Irish members when he arose in the house of commons today to move an amendment to the address in reply to the speech from the throne, representing the time had arrived to bring the war to a conclusion on the basis of recognizing the independence of the Transvaal and the Orange Free State. He said the Irish party abhorred this war and intended, so far as possible, to maintain the independence of the republics, defended with such heroism. Mr. Redmond admitted that when the empire was involved in complications a feeling of hope and satisfaction stirred the majority of the Irish at home and abroad. But, he continued, the sympathies of the Irish would still have been pro-Boer, even if England had not been concerned and another power had attempted to "act the bully and oppressor in South Africa."

England today, added Mr. Redmond, stood "not in splendid, but in disgraceful isolation, Turkey alone lending her countenance."

While admitting that official expression of hostility had not been heard in the United States, "chiefly because America, being engaged in the Philippine war, had not felt herself in a position to rebuke England, as she would otherwise have done," Mr. Redmond declared that the overwhelming opinion of leading American statesmen was hostile to Great Britain in this war and said "the unanimous disapproval of the world demonstrated that the war was unjust and it ought, therefore, to be stopped."

As to whether the prospects of home rule were adversely affected by the attitude of the Irish, Mr. Redmond said he thought Ireland had nothing to lose and everything to gain by raising her voice on the side of justice and liberty.

Mr. Patrick Joseph Power, member for the east division of Waterford county, seconded Mr. Redmond's amendment.

MAY DELAY RATIFICATION.

New York, Feb .7.—A special to the Herald from Washington says: Immediate ratification of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty permiting the construction of an isthmian canal by the United States need not be expected. Just enough opposition has developed to the provision prohibiting the construction of fortifications at the entrances to the proposed canal to provoke discussion and thus delay action on the treaty. A careful canvass of the senate does not indicate, however, that this opposition is sufficiently strong to either secure the adoption of an amendment providing for fortifications or to prevent the ratification of the treaty without such an amendment. Leaders on both sides appear to be well satisfied with all the provisions of the treaty and they will try to have it ratified without amendment.

MR. BRYAN GOES TO GOTHAM.

Bridgeport, Conn., Feb. 7.—William J. Bryan left this city early today for New York. This afternoon he will address a public meeting at Patterson, N. J., and in the evening he will lecture in Carnegie hall, New York, for the benefit of a Grand Army post fund.

STILL HOLDS OUT.

TAYLOR WILL NOT ANNOUNCE HIS POSITION.

THE AGREEMENT UNSIGNED

WANTS MORE TIME TO TALK TO ATTORNEYS.

GOEBEL'S BODY AT CAPITOL

REPUBLICANS ARE YET AT LONDON.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 7.—At noon Governor Taylor had not yet taken action in regard to the agreement reached at the Louisville conference and will not do so until he has had further conference with his legal advisors.

This conference will be held tonight in the governor's private room in the executive building. It is understood that telegrams have been sent to ex-Governor Bradley, Augustus E. Willson, Judge Barr and David W. Fairleigh requesting their presence at the conference, and it is expected they will arrive on tonight's train. The conference will probably be a lengthy one and it may be far into the night before any decision is reached by the governor in regard to the agreement, and possibly he will take no action until tomorrow.

In the meantime everything is quiet. No democratic members of the legislature are in Frankfort and word has been received that they will not return until they are assured of immunity from arrest and their forcible conveyance to London.

WILL NOT SIGN IT.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 7.—2:30 p. m.—It is stated on excellent authority that Governor Taylor has decided not to sign the Louisville agreement in its present shape. He desires several changes in it and practically a definite statement regarding the repeal of the Goebel law. He is anxious that a conference be held in Louisville on Friday night, at which these changes will be discussed and made.

The conference to be held here tonight is for the purpose of informing the republican leaders of his views and advising with them regarding the further demands to be made upon the democracy.

Governor Taylor refused to discuss the questions when asked if the foregoing was true.

TO AVOID TROUBLE.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 7.—In anticipation of the arrival from Covington of the body of Governor Goebel, Adjutant General Collier this morning issued orders withdrawing all troops from the streets and bringing them with the main body at the capitol grounds.

These orders will remain in effect until after Governor Goebel's remains have been placed in the vault of the Frankfort cemetery tomorrow afternoon.

This was done to avoid any possibility of irritation of Governor Goebel's friends and partisans during the time the body lies in state at the Capitol hotel and the burial tomorrow and to allay as far as possible the feeling caused by the presence of state troops.

Even the private guard was withdrawn from the vicinity of the Capitol hotel. The commissary sergeants will not be allowed to leave the capitol grounds and all drills have been suspended until Friday.

Only a small guard was left at the armory to protect the supplies and ammunition stored there. Outside of this guard, not a soldier will be allowed to leave the capitol grounds until Friday.

REMAINS REACH FRANKFORT.

The train bearing the remains of Governor Goebel did not arrive here from Covington until 12:15 p. m. The day was exceedingly disagreeable, a fine, drizzling rain falling all morning. Shortly after 11 o'clock the crowds began gathering around the Capitol hotel and when finally the casket was slowly carried up the steps of the north entrance to the hotel, and thence into the large ladies' reception room, where they are to lie in state until tomorrow at noon, probably a thousand people were standing around the entrance and in the streets surrounding the hotel.

Every head was bared as the remains of the dead democratic leader were carried into the hotel.

Along the long hall leading from the north entrance to the hotel foyer into which opens the ladies' reception room were stretched two lines of women, wives of legislators, society women of Frankfort, and country women, their garments stained with travel over the muddy roads leading into Frankfort, who watched with tear-stained faces the pall bearers, as with uncovered heads they mounted the steps and carried the casket into the parlor.

The casket, heaped with flowers, was gently laid on the bier in the center of the big room, the lid was unscrewed and the face of the dead governor exposed to view, while around the bier were placed great heaps of flowers of all kinds and magnificent floral pieces.

THE FUNERAL TRAIN.

Covington, Ky., Feb. 7.—The special Goebel funeral train left here early this morning for Frankfort, where it was due at 11 a. m. The return trip was made in daylight and the schedule fixed for all points from 3:30 to 11 a. m.

In the procession that accompanied the casket from the Odd Fellows' hall to the Chesapeake and Ohio depot this morning there was no band, no uniformed orders, no badges of any kind, no carriages, but an almost endless line of neighbors.

URGE TAYLOR TO STICK.

London, Ky., Feb. 7.—A rumor became current early this morning that a message had been received saying Governor Taylor had signed the conference agreement and the London legislature would be recalled. For a time it created the greatest excitement, but the rumor could not be confirmed and finally died out.

Because of the constant rumors of Governor Taylor's having signed or being about to sign the conference agreement, Senator Jolly sent the following telegram to the chief executive this morning:

"Discouraging reports here. The members are unanimously against agreement. Imperative to know condition at once."

This telegram was soon followed by another to Governor Taylor from Representative Kelley, which read as follows:

"Make no compromise of our rights under the constitution and the law. We represent the people of this commonwealth for a free election and a fair count. Any attempt on the part of any man or set of men to set aside the result of the last election by force, fraud or vicious legislation without the consent of the people is treason. We therefore pledge you our support and lives if you will but stand by the election returns as counted by the electoral commission. All members agree to this."

GO TO LOUISVILLE.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Feb. 7.—The greater portion of the Kentucky members of the legislature who have been in Cincinnati, left for Louisville on the 8:15 a. m. train. This party included J. W. C. Beckham. A few members went over to Covington and boarded the funeral train going to Frankfort. It was understood last night that the whole party would go to Frankfort, but for some reason not explained by the legislators the destination of the majority was changed to Louisville.

GO BEFORE COMMERCIAL CLUB

CITIZENS' COMMITTEE WILL BE HEARD.

Want the Club to Aid in Securing a More Strict Enforcement of the Sunday Laws.

The citizens' committee, comprising the ministers and business men which is endeavoring to secure a more strict enforcement of the Sunday laws in Fort Wayne, will lay its cause before the Commercial club on Thursday evening. The committee recently visited Mayor Soherer and discussed the matter and will now endeavor to enlist the aid of the Commercial club in bringing about the reforms which it hopes to see inaugurated.

The meeting will be held at the rooms of the Commercial club, in the Odd Fellows' building, at Wayne and Calhoun streets, beginning at 8 o'clock, and is likely to arouse much interest, though no member of the club is inclined to hazard a prediction as to what action will be taken by the organization.

FAMOUS PAINTER DEAD.

Brussels, Feb. 7.—Felu, the Belgian painter, is dead.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. A. G. McCuen, of John street—a daughter.

GAVE IT STATUS.

CLAYTON-BULWER TREATY NO LONGER IS MOOTED.

UNITED STATES ADMITS IT

ONE EFFECT OF SIGNING THE CANAL TREATY.

TREATY MUCH CRITICISED

PRESIDENT WILL STAND FOR IT AS IT IS.

Washington, Feb. 7.—It is learned that the text of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty was the work of the state department. The British government accepted the document just as it was drawn, so the responsibility for whatever is contained in the treaty and the form in which it i expressed is chargable entirely to the department. Department officials are surprised at the amount of criticism that has been directed against the treaty, but feel confident that it will be consummated, providing it is not amended, especially as to the fortification clause.

It is insisted by the officials that an amendment on that point would completely defeat the treaty, and it is intimated that the objection will be twofold, first from the British government, and second from the president himself.

The president is said to regard the neutralization scheme as completely obviating the necessity for any fortifications for the canal, for, by the terms of that arrangement, every one of the maritime powers will pledge itself to use army and navy, if be, to preserve the absolute neutrality of the canal, and fortifications will be unnecessary.

Attention has been called to the statement that no matter what difference of opinion may have existed up to this time as to the living force of the Clayton-Bulwer treaty, doubts upon that point has been dissipated by the signature of the Hay-Pauncefote convention. By that act, the executive branch of the United States government formally recognized the existence of a Clayton-Bulwer treaty. It is said to make no difference whether or not Hay-Pauncefote treaty is ratified by the senate; the executive branch of the government, to which alone foreign governments may look, has gone on record.

DENIAL IS MADE.

London, Feb. 7.—The officials of the United States embassy deny that any negotiations in regard to Alaska are proceeding between Lord Salisbury and Mr. Choate, the United States embassador, or that a concession of a free port in Alaska is included in the Nicaragua agreement, as cabled from Washington.

A question will be asked in the house of commons Thursday as to whether Great Britain has relinguished all her rights under the Clayton-Bulwer treaty in respect to the Nicaragua canal and, if so, what compensating advantages, if any, have been secured in exchange.

GERMANY NOT INTERESTED.

Berlin, Feb. 7.—In regard to the cabled report that the United States and Great Britain are trying to obtain the consent of Germany and the other powers to a Nicaragua agreement, the foreign office here says that as Germany was not a party to the Clayton-Bulwer treaty, Germany has no political interests in those parts and no right to expect either the United States or Great Britain to obtain Germany's consent to a Nicaragua agreement. United States Ambassador White says the United States gave no compensation whatever to Great Britain and most assuredly gave neither land nor harbors in Alaska in exchange for the abrogation of the treaty.

APPALLING MORTALITY.

Bombay, Feb. 7.—The mortality in this city yesterday was unprecedented. There was a total of 408 deaths. The situation is aggravated by the advent of famine refugees.

D. H. Chamberlain, of Fargo, N. D., is at the Wayne. He is a western representative of the Fleming Manufacturing company.

Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Blair have returned from Lima, Ohio, where they attended the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell.

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BIMETALLIC CLUB

TENDERS USE OF ROOMS TO CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE.

LEAGUE WILL MEET WEEKLY

PUBLIC SPEAKING NEXT MONDAY AT CITY HALL.

SEVERAL SPEAKERS INVITED

AGGRESSIVE CAMPAIGN WORK TO BEGIN AT ONCE.

The Bimetallic League held its regular monthly meeting Tuesday evening in the new club rooms rented by Sheriff Melching in the Foster block. The attendance was quite large and much interest was manifested by members of the club, who are certain that William J. Bryan will again be the leader of the democratic hosts against William McKinley and the trusts. President W. G. Colerick was chairman of the meeting and F. E. Purcell secretary. On motion of N. D. Doughman the league tendered the use of the club rooms to the democratic county committee and the Jeffersonian league. There are four rooms which are to be well furnished and in one of them is to be placed books, periodicals and newspapers for the use of democrats who may visit the headquarters during the campaign. The club thanked Sheriff Melching for having secured the rooms and released him from further responsibility in paying for their use. All Allen county democrats and their friends are welcome to visit the rooms during the campaign and they can any time in the day and in the evening. A man will be placed in charge to take proper care of the quarters.

Judge Colerick delivered a short address in which he reviewed the purposes of the Bimetallic League, when it was organized after the campaign more than three years ago. He said that there were new questions now confronting the American people and on these questions the American voters should become posted. He suggested that hereafter the league meet every week instead of once a month as heretofore. The suggestion was unanimously adopted and hereafter the league will be one of the hardest working organizations for democratic success in county, state and nation.

It was decided to hold a meeting in the city hall next Monday evening and the chairman and secretary were instructed to invite as speakers Hon. C. P. Drummond, of Plymouth; Hon. Hugh Dougherty, of Bluffton, and Hon. Ralph Gregory, of Muncie. Hon. R. C. Bell told the club he was certain that Mr. Gregory would come. Judge Colerick will deliver an address and other local speakers may also talk at the meeting. Prominent speakers will be provided, if possible, for every weekly meeting during the campaign.

Before the league adjourned Judge Colerick, H. C. Berghoff and Capt. R. H. Rohan made short addresses in which they urged aggressive work during the campaign that has already commenced. They advocated thorough organization and expressed confidence that there would be a large gain in the democratic vote over that cast for Bryan in 1896. The meeting throughout was enthusiastic and every person present acquiesced in the suggestion of the speakers that the work should be aggressive from now on until the votes were cast next November.

MAY BUY THE ISLANDS.

New York, Feb. 7.—A special to the Herald from Washington says: A member of the foreign relations committee of the senate is authority for the statement that views with reference to the cession to the Danish West Indies have been officially exchanged of United States and Denmark. Negotiations are also in progress with Ecquador for the cession of Chatham Island, of the Galapagos group, to this government. By the acquisition of these islands and the possession of Porto Rico and Hawaiian islands, the United States will practically control the approaches of the proposed Nicaragua canal.

HOT IN BUENOS AYRES.

Buenos Ayres, Feb. 7.—The residents of Buenos Ayres have never experienced such intense heat as that of Saturday, Sunday and yesterday. They were greatly alarmed by the number of death from sun stroke. The mortality in Buenos Ayres, which never exceeds forty daily, reached 150 during the twenty-four hours ending at 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon. There were 219 cases of sunstroke on Sunday and 134 cases resulted fatally up to 6 o'clock in the evening. There were thirty-four cases of sunstroke Monday. One of them was fatal. A despatch from Rio Janerio says that the Venezuelan troops invaded Brazilian territory and were opposed by the forces of the latter republic, which were forced to retreat after a serious fight.

A GUNBOAT DISPATCHED.

New York, Feb. 7.—A special to the Herald from Washington says: Disturbing events in Venezuela, reported to the state department by Minister Loomis, are responsibe for the dispatch of the gunboat Machias by Rear Admiral Farquhar to the Venezuelan port of Puerto Cabello. According to the department's information General Hernandez has not given up his struggle to gain the presidency of Venezuela. With a considerable folowing he is making preparations to renew the war with General Castro, and it is expected that a conflict will soon occur. The Machias will remain in Venezuelan waters until foreign interests can be protected by the local government. The authorities have been informed that a disturbing condition of affairs also exists in Santo Domingo.

MR. BRYAN IS MUCH PLEASED

NEW ENGLAND MEETINGS VERY GRATIFYING.

Believes There Is a Distinct Growth of Democratic Sentiment in the Eastern States.

Bridgeport, Conn., Feb. 7.—William J. Bryan said last night, after the close of his New England campaign during which he has addressed 45,000 people in eighteen cities:

"The meetings have been gratifying because they show the growth of democratic sentiment. The trend of public opinion is away from the republican party and I believe that each month will emphasize this opposition. The old men contrast the republican party of today with the republican party of Lincoln's day and cannot but note the difference. The young men see the field of opportunity narrowing and they realize that republican politics are continually adding to the advantages of aggregated wealth and lessening the chance of the young man who has only his brains and his muscle to rely upon.

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LOCAL LINES.

Miss June Gilbert, who was the guest of Fort Wayne friends, has returned to her home in Bluffton.

J. L. Thompson arrived last evening from Plymouth to attend the funeral services of Frank Poulson.

S. E. Cook, a prominent Huntington attorney, was in Fort Wayne on legal business Tuesday afternoon.

Charles Wyncoop and August Erdman, of Columbia City, transacted business in Fort Wayne yesterday.

Mrs. A. A. Adams and Miss Carrie Mosier, of Columbia City, were Fort Wayne visitors yesterday afternoon.

Judge Adair, of Columbia City, is this afternoon sitting in the circuit court and hearing arguments in the case of Robertson & O'Rourke vs. the Cathedral congregation.

There will be a meeting of the Ladies' society of the Westminster Presbyterian church on Thursday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. William Hulse, 28 South Harrison street.

Sion S. Bass post, G. A. R., will hold memorial services for General Lawton on Friday evening and the ritualistic service will be carried out in full. Rev. W. D. Parr will assist in the program.

Chairman H. G. Keegan, of this city, is to be one of the speakers at the banquet of the Indiana League of Republican clubs at Anderson next Monday evening. Mr. Keegan's subject is "Major General Lawton."

F. A. Gocke, of Dayton, Ohio, is a guest at the New Aveline and is greeting friends in the city. Mr. Gocke is a brother of Louis and A. C. Gocke and formerly traveled for the old A. C. Trentman wholesale house.

Joseph Vail, of Ossian, by his attorneys, Chapin & Denny, of this city, has made application for a patent on an invention which will be in high favor with funeral directors. It is a device for lowering the casket into the grave.

G. D. Niswonger and J. W. Howenstine, of this city, have been granted a patent upon a new filter and cooler for drinking water, to be used as an attachment to a refrigerator. The patent was secured through the agency of Attorney W. G. Burns.

The congregation of the Immanuel Baptist church have decided not to purchase the property at the corner of Wayne and Clay streets, which is owned by Colonel Rogers, of New Haven. The trustees have not decided yet where they will build. Several desirable pieces of property have been under consideration.

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USE OF BIRDS' FEATHERS ON WOMEN'S HATS RECRIED.

The Indiana Audubon Society Voices Its Sentiments—Mrs. Taylor, of Fort Wayne, Honored.

Indianapolis, Feb. 7.—The Indiana Audubon society was to hold its third annual meeting in the statehouse yesterday morning and afternoon, but owing to the Lawton ceremonies the afternoon session was postponed until evening. In the morning session President R. W. McBride read his report, in which he recommended that the patent insides of newspapers should be used as a means of reaching farmers. A paper on "Aesthetic Reasons Why Birds Should Be Protected" was read by Mrs. Ella Lyon Swift. Mrs. Martha N. McKay read a paper on "The Use of Birds for Millinery Purposes," in which she said that the practice of killing birds for millinery purposes was a relic of barbarism.

Before adjourning the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Amos W. Butler; first vice president, R. W. McBride, Indianapolis; second vice president, T. J. Charlton, Plainfield; third vice president, Mrs. Fannie Taylor, Fort Wayne; fourth vice president, Mrs. Lucius B. Swift, Indianapolis; recording secretary, F. A. Cotton, Indianapolis; treasurer and secretary, Sylvester Johnson, Irvington; executive committee, George A. Cottman, Irvington; T. J. McAvoy, Indianapolis; C. E. Newlin, Irvington.

At the evening session, which was begun at 7:30 o'clock, Mrs. May Wright Sewall gave an interesting talk on "How May Clubs Be Interested in the Audubon Movement." Professor Stanley Coulter read a paper on "Birds and Nature Study." Other papers touching upon the economic and humane reason for the protection of birds were read by J. G. Kingsbury, George S. Cottman, Rev. J. W. Frazer and E. H. Collins.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS.

LYLE.

John Quincy Lyle, for many years a well known employe of the Bass Foundry and Machine works, died at 5 o'clock this morning at his home, 328 East Jefferson street, from cancer of the liver. Mr. Lyle was an expert toolmaker, and his illness has extended over a period of seven months. Last summer while at work in the shops he was seized with a hemorrhage and was removed to his home. Since that time he has been able to do but little work. Mr. Lyle was a native of West Virginia and during his long residence in this city gained many friends. His age was 66 years and 8 months.

The funeral announcement will be made at a later date.

DREYER.

Mrs. Conrad Dreyer died at 9:30 o'clock Tuesday evening at the family home, 133 Union street, from kidney trouble, at the age of forty-four years. Surviving her are the husband and four children.

The funeral services will be held from the residence Friday afternoon at 1:30 and at 2 o'clock from Immanuel Lutheran church, Rev. Wambsganss officiating.

YEAGLE.

Flora Yeagle, a pupil of the Indiana school for feeble minded youth, died on Tuesday from double pneumonia and diphtheria, after an illness of three days. Her age was fourteen years, two months and five days. The girl was sent to the institution from Bartholomew county.

FUNERAL ANNOUNCEMENT.

Poulson.—Funeral services of Frank Poulson will be held from the residence, 193 Spy Run avenue, Friday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. The officiating clergyman is Rev. Harris, of the West Creighton Avenue Church of Christ.

Senator L. P. Newby, of Knightstown, prospective candidate for the republican nomination for lieutenant governor, is in the city, a guest at the New Aveline. Senator Newby is erecting political fences in this section of the state.

FINAL REPORTS.

The following final reports have been filed in the circuit court:

Clarence F. Swift, as administrator of the estate of John House, deceased; Dorethea Polleitz, as guardian of Matilda Foellinger; Maria Jacquard, as guardian of Alma Jacquard, and Anna Dau, as guardian of Anna Hengstetter.

ARE IN CONFERENCE.

The members of the board of works and City Attorney Shambaugh are this afternoon in conference with John D. Olds, L. J. Bobilya, William Keough and H. C. Hanna, promoters of the Indiana and Ohio Traction company and the propositions of the Fort Wayne Traction will be discussed.

Miss Carrie Ewald was pleasantly surprised last evening by a large circle of her friends at her home, 307 Lafayette street. The features of the evening were progressive pedro. The first prizes were awarded to Charley Brown and Miss Alice Jackson and the booby to John Nelson and Miss Julia Burns. At 12 o'clock a fine three-course luncheon was served. At the "we sma" hours the guests departed after having spent a most enjoyable evening.

THE LAST HONORS ARE PAID

FUNERAL OF MAJOR LOGAN AT YOUNGSTOWN, OHIO.

The Young Soldier Is Laid to His Final Rest With Impressive Ceremonies.

Youngstown, Ohio, Feb. 7.—Thousands of citizens and people from the surrounding towns and country passed through the vestibule of St. John's Episcopal church today, where the body of Major John A. Logan lay in state, surrounded by military guards.

The sealed casket containing the body reposed in the vestibule of the church, which had been most beautifully decorated with appropriate hangings. It was folded about with the national colors and across the bier lay a broad band of silk, engrossed with the legend:

"Major John A. Logan, Thirty-third U. S. V."

The casket was not opened. The profusion of floral tributes was extraordinary. Great masses of American beauty roses, pillows of violets and other rare and beautiful flowers almost concealed the casket and were used effectively in the church interior decorations.

Militia companies, military and civic organizations from neighboring cities began arriving early in the morning, and the streets were filled with people.

At 2 o'clock the casket had been removed to the chancel of the church and the funeral services began.

The beautiful services for the dead of the Episcopal church was read by the rector, Rev. A. L. Frazer, assisted by Bishop Leonard, of Cleveland. There were no extended remarks. The funeral cortege, which was the largest and most imposing ever witnessed in this city, passed through the principal streets.

It was in command of Capt. James A. Freed and was composed of a company of the Seventh United States infantry, and the regimental band from Fort Wayne, Michigan, battalion of militia from the Fifth Ohio National Guard, in command of Lieutenant Colonel Pond, of Cleveland, G. A. R. posts and Union Veteran Leagion corps, city officials and citizens.

Minute guns were fired as the cortege moved and the interment was made according to the military rites, in the Andrews mausoleum, in Oak Hill cemtery.

Miss Lottie Scheifer is visiting friends in Eaton, Ind.

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ELECT BOARD OF DIRECTORS

FORT WAYNE GAS COMPANY'S ANNUAL MEETING.

Stockholders Are Still in Session This Afternoon Discussing the Company's Affairs.

The annual business meeting of the stockholders of the Fort Wayne Gas company convened at the company's offices in this city at 11 o'clock this morning. H. C. Paul, assistant to the president, was the presiding officer, with Sam T. Murdock, of Lafayette, as secretary. Other gentlemen present were Charles S. Bash, Hon. James Murdoch, of Lafayette, and Hon. Hugh Doughterty, of Bluffton.

A board of eleven directors was chosen, composed as follows: Charles F. Diederich, Samuel Thorne, A. B. Proal, John Sloan, Walton Ferguson, George C. Clark, A. N. Bradley and James H. Benedict, of New York; Henry C. Paul and Charles S. Bash, of this city, and Hon. Hugh Dougherty, of Bluffton. Auditor Breckweg and Secretary Scheimann are preparing the annual report of the company, which will be at once forwarded to New York, and at a meeting of the directors to be held in that city next week the officers of the company will be chosen.

The examination of the gas company's books by the city council's experts, Mr. Hunter and Mr. Dougall has been temporarily interrupted owing to the fact that the time of Auditor Breckweg and Secretary Scheimann, who are giving them every assistance, is occupied in preparing reports for the annual meet, but will be resumed as soon as the meeting adjourns, and may be completed within a week. The stockholders are holding another session this afternoon.

HELD A CONFERENCE.

At the office of the Fort Wayne Trust company this afternoon the gas company stockholders held a conference with twenty citizens to discuss the proposed revision of gas rates. Mr. Paul made a statement that the company was anxious to be fair and reach an amicable agreement, but referred to the failing gas and said the company was willing to pay the expenses of a committee to visit the field and examine the situation, and to secure the state geologist to make an investigation, the committee then to make a report to the citizens. Hon. Hugh Dougherty, of Bluffton, also spoke along the same line. Among the citizens present were John Ferguson, G. W. Pixley, J. B. Reuss, W. E. Mossman, E. W. Cook, S. M. Foster, W. H. Dreier, A. J. Moynihan, J. M. Barrett, J. H. Bass, B. S. O'Connor, J. C. Peters and C. A. Wilding.

HE IS NOT A CANDIDATE

HON. CHARLES B. LANDIS SETS ALL DOUBTS AT REST.

What He Has to Say About the Gubernatorial Nomination—Some Political Gossip.

Indianapolis, Feb. 7.—Hon. Charles B. Landis, the brilliant young congressman from the Ninth Indiana district, was in the city yesterday in attendance upon the Lawton memorial exercises. Incidentally Mr. Landis removed all doubt as to his position with reference to the nomination for governor by declaring in positive terms that he is not and will not be a candidate. To a representative of the Associated Press, who saw him last night at the Denison house, he said: "I am a candidate for congress and expect to be renominated at the Noblesville convention on the 22d inst. If renominated for congress I will accept. I am not now and will not be a candidate for governor. This statement I feel to be due to those who are seeking the nomination for governor as well as to those of my friends who have been kind enough to mention my name in connection with the nomination for that office."

Mr. Landis will leave for Washington today and will accompany the Indiana delegation in congress on their visit to New York on Saturday to witness the performance of "Ben Hur."

HERNLY IN INDIANAPOLIS.

Chairman Charles S. Hernly, of the republican state committee, returned to Indianapolis last night from Fort Wayne. He says the republican outlook continues to be bright and that each day makes it plainer that the coming campaign will be one of the most important the country has experienced in many years. Mr. Hernly will not make any appointments to the executive or advisory committees for several weeks yet.

A blind man was found in New York the other day, who carried an alarm clock to tell the time. He set it to strike every hour and between the hours he felt the position of the hands to determine the time.

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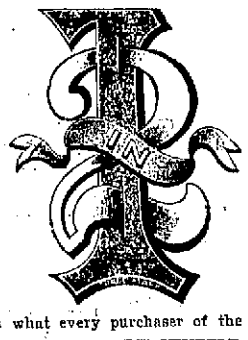

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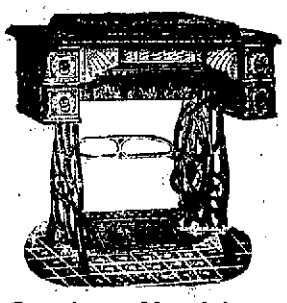

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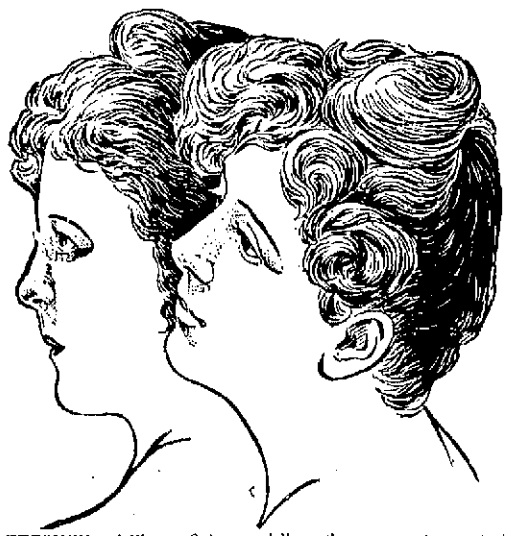

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LOCAL NEWS.

Miss Carrie Cressler is convalescing from a severe illness.

E. G. Glass, of Columbia City, was a visitor in the city on Tuesday.

W. Garwood, of Big Springs, O., transacted business in the city on Tuesday.

Guy Conklin has removed from 115 Calhoun street to 158 Calhoun street. Mr. Conklin conducts a music store.

Fred Helling, jr., has gone to Mt. Clemens, Mich., for treatment for rheumatism, from which he has suffered for some time.

Dr. Ernest Kohn and Eugene Scott, of Van Wert, O., were the guests of Dr. W. F. Schrader on Tuesday. They left for their homes this morning.

The Ladies' society of Heidelberg Reformed church will hold their regular monthly business meeting in the church at 2:30 p. m. on Thursday.

The ladies of the Third Presbyterian church will be entertained at a social tea at the home of Mrs. J. A. P. McGaw on Thursday afternoon.

The regular meeting of the Isaac Knapp Dental coterie will be held in the office of Dr. Rosenthal tomorrow evening. Dr. Rosenthal will read a paper.

Police Officer Collins, who has been suffering with appendicitis for the past week, is much improved. He will be able to resume his duties in a few days.

The Universal Brotherhood and Theosophical society will hold their regular meeting this evening. The subject under discussion will be "The Sense of Conscioususss."

The young people of Christ's Lutheran church will give an entertainment in the church on Friday evening. An excellent literary and musical program will be rendered.

Jacob Ebner, the young man whose foot was amputated last Saturday at the St. Joseph hospital, is improving slowly. His condition is still serious, but his attending physician holds out hope of his ultimate recovery.

At the meeting of the Allen County Medical association on Tuesday evening papers were read by Dr. B. V. Swearingen on "Apparent Periodical Vomiting" and by Dr. G. W. McCaskey on "Presentation of a New Gastric Cardination," with a chemical experiment of a rapid method of estimating ethereal sulphates.

"Christian Versus Orthodox Theology" is the title of a book published last year by a Mr. C. B. Levisee, of Ohio. The book tries to show that the Christianity of Christ is totally different from the Christianity of St. Paul. Rev. J. S. Ainslie, of Plymouth church, will review the book at the meeting tonight, and he asks the people to bring their Bibles. He expects to show that many of the statements in the book are wrong and the reasoning full of error.

LOCAL NEWS.

Mrs. L. C. Hunter will entertain at luncheon Thursday, the 15th.

I. N. Horrell, of Bluffton, transacted business in Fort Wayne yesterday.

Miss Lilian Schrader is recovering from a severe attack of typhoid fever.

Miss Stella P. Kistler and Albert S. French will be united in marriage on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hartle, of Plymouth, visited friends in Fort Wayne this week.

Charles S. Zinns, representing the R. V. Pierce company, of Buffalo, is in the city.

Miss Bertha Winbaugh leaves for Bucyrus, O., on Thursday, where she will spend a week with friends.

Daniel Volmer and family, who visited in Fort Wayne two or three days, have returned to their home in Bluffton.

Mrs. M. T. Stokes entertained the ladies of the Honeymoon club this afternoon at her home, 109 Edgewater avenue.

William McAllister, of Salt Lake City, who has been visiting his brother, Dr. McAllister, for several days, has returned home.

David Valentine, of this city, went to Wells county yesterday and attended a sale at his brother's home, six miles south of Bluffton.

Dan Hudgell, representing the firm of Berdan & Co., of Toledo, is calling on the city trade. Mr. Hudgell was formerly with F. P. Wilt & Co.

The venerable J. C. Michaels fell on the pavement surrounding the house of his daughter, Mrs. H. A. Philley, on Victoria avenue, yesterday and severely injured his left shoulder and arm.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kisel, Frank Hiser, Mrs. Charles Hiser, Miss Kate Rear and Ora Redding attended the funeral of Charles H. Snyder in Huntington Monday. The young man was born in Allen county in 1881 and died last Sunday morning in Huntington.

Mr. and Mrs. John Neizer and their children, who were visiting the families of Peter Eggemann and Martin Rundell, returned to their home in Monroeville this morning. Mr. Neizer is engaged in selling farm implements at Monroeville. He is a brother of ex-County Auditor J. B. Neizer.

Architect Riedel is preparing plans for a new building on the I. S. F. M. Y. farm, which will be called "Colonia." The new building will be a two-story and basement brick building and will be about the same size as "Sunset cottage." The new building will be used as a dormitory for boys and will be capable of accommodating 200. The brick to be used in the construction will be manufactured in the brickyard at the institution. A wing of the building was built last year and the construction of "Colonia" will be commenced as soon as possible.

Found on the Skin Phosphate Direct From the Brain.

We know that active brain work throws out the phosphate of potash, for this product is found on the skin after excessive brain work, therefore, brain workers, in order to keep well, must have proper food containing phosphate of potash to quickly and surely rebuild the used-up tissue. That one can obtain such food has been proven in thousands of cases among users of Postum Cereal Food Coffee and Grape-Nuts.

Both contain phosphate of potash in minute particles, just as it is furnished by nature in the grains.

This product makes from albumen the gray matter that builds the brain and fills the nerve centers.

In no way can this gray matter be made except by the action of phosphate of potash upon albumen, and this mineral should be introduced to the body just as it comes from nature's laboratory, and not from the drug store. The system is more or less fastidious about taking up the needed elements, and, as might be suspected, it will favor the products of Mother Nature rather than the products of the drug shop, however valuable they may be for certain uses.

Athletes, lawyers, journalists, doctors, ministers, business men and others, who earn their living by the use of the brain, are using both Postum Food Coffee and Grape-Nuts Food. Both products are manufactured for a reason. They were originated by an expert, and the regenerative value of both the Postum Coffee and the food has been demonstrated beyond question. All first-class grocers sell both Postum and Grape-Nuts, and the Postum Cereal Co. Ltd., manufacture them at the Battle Creek factories.

W. L. Miller, of Marion, is a visitor in the city.

Hon. Hugh Dougherty, of Bluffton, is registered at the Wayne.

P. A. Randall, is at Centerville, Mich., on a business trip today.

Judge J. W. Adair, of Columbia City, was in Fort Wayne today, a guest at the New Aveline.

The Wayne township Sunday school convention will be held at the Prairie Grove church next Sunday, Feb. 11.

The Home Missionary society will meet at the home of Mrs. Ernest Lenz, 99 Brackenridge street, tomorrow morning.

Dr. C. B. Stemen has removed to his new offices in the White Fruit house block and they are among the handsomest in the city.

The congregation of the Third Presbyterian church will hold a cottage meeting Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bashler, 70 West Butler street.

Herman Kratzsch, one of the firm of Kratzsch Bros., who are soon to open a clothing house on Calhoun street, is critically ill. He suffers from inflammation of the bowels.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Third Presbyterian church will be entertained Thursday afternoon from 2 to 5 at the home of Mrs. McGaw, wife of the pastor, 109 Brackenridge street.

The Misses Tillie Traub and Edith Beuke have issued invitations for a dancing party to be given at Hanker's hall Monday evening, in compliment to Miss Foote, of Wellington, Ohio, who is the guest of Miss Beuke.

Friends in this city were advised this morning that Trau Thieme, who has been critically ill at his home in South Bend, is improving. Mr. Thieme is a student at Concordia college, in this city, and was vaccinated some weeks ago. The effects were so severe that Mr. Thieme has been lying at the point of death for several days.

TO GIVE AN ETERTAINMENT.

The missionary department of the Berry street M. E. church Sunday school will give a musical, literary and social entertainment Thursday evening, Feb. 8. The following is the program:

Overture.....Schlatter's Orchestra
Song .....
Prayer.....Mr. Reichelderfer
Selection.....Schlatter's Orchestra
Reading.....Flor. Tinkham
Vocal solo.....Rupert Rook
Recitation.....Ruth Ransburg
Dialogue.....
Fay Van Camp and Earl Cissell
Vocal solo.....Miss Drake
Piano duet..Van Camp and Ahinger
Recitation.....Fanny Matson
Violin and piano duet.....
.....Mr. and Miss Van Camp
Recitation.....Florence Keller
Recitation.....Ruth Ridenour
Selection.....Schlatter's Orchestra

WILL HELP THE POOR.

The Fort Wayne lodge of Elks has turned over to the Relief Union the proceeds of the old clothes social given at the lodge rooms on Wednesday evening of last week and the garments will be distributed by the ladies of the union. The list includes the following: Six suits of three pieces, 16 overcoats, 60 pairs of trousers, 63 vests, 45 shirts, 50 pairs gentlemen's hose, 3 dozen pairs children's hose, half dozen pairs ladies' hose, 3 dozen pairs of shoes, 8 children's dresses, 4 white skirts, 15 shirt waists, 59 hats and caps, 1 black dress skirt, 5 night shirts, 5 dress waists, 46 pieces of underwear, 1 night dress, 1 umbrella and 1 basket of collars and cuffs.

BEN HUR ENTERTAINMENT.

The following program will be rendered at the entertainment to be given by Court No. 96, Tribe of Ben Hur, on Thursday evening, in the hall:

Piano Solo.....Miss Lulu Currier
Recitation.....Miss Flora Tinkham
Mandolin and Guitar Selection....
....Messrs. Holtzhauer and Docks
Dialogue..Edith and Esther Havens
Musical Selection.Messrs. Eylenberg
Vocal Solo.....A. C. Hobrock
Recitation.....Miss Inez Downer
Piano Solo.....Alfred Holtzhauer
Recitation.....Miss Belle Obadier
Vocal Solo.....Miss Favor Vreeland
Gramophone Selection.

FARM HOME BURNED.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Payton Smith on the Goshen road, near Everett Lake, was destroyed by fire on Monday morning, together with all its contents. Mrs. Smith was preparing the morning meal when the ceiling caught fire from the overheated stove and before anything could be done the flames had spread to all parts of the roof and the house was speedily reduced to ashes. Nothing of value was saved. The building was owned by Elisha Smith and was uninsured.

Stop that grumbling about poor coffee by using the Famous A. I. C. high-grade coffees. Coverdale & Archer, Edwin Rich, Dodane & Son, carry a full line which are retailed at prices that will interest you.

Very Important

WHEN YOU HAVE A PROPOSITION TO MAKE IT IS VERY IMPORTANT THAT YOU MAKE IT TO THE RIGHT PEOPLE.

IF YOU PUT YOUR PROPOSITION IN THE SENTINEL WANT COLUMNS YOU'LL BE SURE OF GETTING AT THE RIGHT PEOPLE. OUR GREAT ARMY OF READERS EMBRACES PEOPLE CAPABLE OF PERFORMING ANY KIND OF SERVICE PEOPLE READY AND ANXIOUS TO CONSIDER ANY KIND OF PROPOSITIONS THAT ARE LEGITIMATE.

WANTED.

WANTED—Washing; will call for same or go to the house. 104 Mechanics street. 6-6t

WANTED—If you want to borrow money, see "ad" on second page, first column. Room 3, Arcade, upstairs. 13-tf

WANTED—Lady cashier of experience for retail establishment; reference required. Address Box 14, Sentinel. 6-tf

WANTED—To trade 80 acres in Kent Co., near Grand Rapids, Mich., for a stock of any kind of goods. Address, Kent, this office. 3t6

WANTED—Money to loan, by private party, in sums of $100 to $1,000, at low rate of interest; security must be first-class. Address, "Money," care Sentinel. 3t6

WANTED—To trade inside business and residence property in city of 5,000; exchange for Fort Wayne property; annual rental $600.00; will assume small incumbrance. Address X. Y. Z., Sentinel. 20tf

WANTED—Agents. Secure exclusive sale of patent article of merit, needed in every house, cost 30 cts, sells for $1; no competition. Call and investigate at Ross house, 56 W. Main St., for short time only. 3t4

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade; 500 positions at $60 monthly waiting our graduates; new field; can earn tuition; two months complete. All information, with handsome 1900 souvenir mailed free. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill. 3t6

WANTED—If you want money on your household furniture, horses, carriages, pianos and other like security on easy payments, everything left in your possession, call and see us. The Reliance Loan Co., Room 6, Arcade, upstairs; open every evening. 18-1mo

WANTED—All sufferers from severe Coughs, Consumption, even Tuberculosis, to call on Charles Beyerline, Agent, 67 Boon street, city, and learn what "Tubercine" did for him after 9 years of suffering, and secure a bottle of the same. (Recommended by his neighbors.) 30eod-6t.

WANTED—Girls for general housework; good wages; have two men wanting work as coachmen or any kind of work; can give best of references; man wants work as clerk in hotel or as packer in wholesale house; good reference. Mrs. Ellen Fitzgerald, 39 West Washington street. 16-tf

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Furnished front room, with privilege of kitchen. 47 E. Jefferson street. 6-2t

FOR RENT—Seven-room house, furnished or unfurnished; terms reasonable, at 352 Hanna street. 7t6

FOR RENT—No. 245 East Wayne street; desirable dwelling, with bath room. Fred J. Hayden, 68 Barr St. 5t2

FOR RENT—A few good residences and two business rooms in this city. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room, with board; hot and cold bath; terms reasonable. 29 East Washington street. 2-1mo

FOR RENT—If you want money on household goods see "ad" on second page, first column. Room 3, Arcade, upstairs. 13-tf

FOR RENT—A nicely furnished room, suitable for man and wife or one or two gentlemen; with steam heat and bath; in an elegant location. 193 W. Wayne St. 5t6

FOR RENT—Dwelling, 106 Fairfield avenue; 191 West DeWald street; rooms, 59 West Superior street; 228 Fairfield avenue. Schrader & Wilson, first floor, 7 Court St. 29-tf

FOR RENT—Lodge room can be had by parties desiring it on either Wednesday or Friday evening at very reasonable price; nice dancing floor in same building to rent on any Saturday afternoon or evening. Telephone 1082, new 'phone. 10-tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—New 6-room cottage on West Main St., 45 foot lot; $1,800. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

WANTED—A girl for general housework, at H. F. Hilgemann's, 123 West Jefferson street. 7tf

FOR SALE—40 foot frontage on Clinton St., near Jefferson; price $2,000. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—I am offering College Place lots on West Wayne street at regular prices. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Household goods; also one horse and buggy. 145 West Berry street, Thursday, 9 a. m.

FOR SALE—481 Lafayette St., 9 rooms, front hall, open stairs, lot 50x150, $2,700. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Good 6 room house on Madison St., at a bargain. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Horse, buggy, harness, sleigh, robes, blankets; owner leaving city. Call at 39 East Columbia street. 17-tf

FOR SALE—New 7 room cottage, Spy Run avenue, near bridge, $1,650. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—A stock of groceries and fixtures; doing a good business; want to leave city. Address Grocery, Sentinel. 3-4t

FOR SALE—Residence and 55 foot front, on West Wayne; price cut to $5,250. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—If you want money on personal security see "ad" on second page, first column. Room 3, Arcade, upstairs. 18tf

FOR SALE—Or exchange, new business block on Calhoun street, $5,000; will take $1,500 in trade. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf.

FOR SALE—If you want to buy a house, lot or farm; if you want to borrow money or want to sell property, see Bohlys, Room 22, Bank block. 11-tf

FOR SALE—A farm of 95½ acres, two miles west of the center of Aboite township; 10-room house; other buildings good; well watered. Inquire John S. Occleston, on premises. 6-1mo

FOR SALE—The best residence property in the city; lot 75x150 feet; frame house, 13 rooms; good cellar; 2 large cisterns; well, city water; best of reasons for selling. Call or address M. F. Schmetzer, Room 12, Pixley-Long Bldg. 23tf

FOR SALE—Good 2-story barn, 35x22, and the lot it stands on, 35x145, S. Harrison street, one-half square south of Wabash freight house. Inquire at Corcoran's Drug store, near by. Cause in property and a bargain. 27-1m

FOR SALE—Southern lands—If you or any of your friends are interested in the south and have no way of getting at facts, call or write me and I will give all information desired. I have timber, fruit and farm lands at low prices. Excursions twice a month. Geo. K. Torrence, No. 9 Arcade. 27-tf

WANTED—All afflicted with a cough of long standing, resulting from la grippe or weak lungs, or hemorrhages, should try my cough and lung syrup, an old Indian remedy, made of roots and herbs. It has never been known to fail. Call at 35 Fairfield avenue. 24tf

TO LOAN—$6,500 home money, in small sums, at 6 per cent.; other money, 5 per cent. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

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Bargains in Underwear Hosiery and Ladies' Wrappers this week.

NEW RIBBONS, GLOVES, FANCY HOSIERY AND CORSETS AT SPECIAL PRICES.

Ladies' $1.25 and $1.50 fleece lined Wrappers reduced to $1.00.

Ladies' Fancy Hose at 19c and 25c a pair.

Taffeta Ribbons in all the new spring shades, 4 and 5 inches wide, at 25c and 35c a yard.

100 dozen Ladies' Fancy Corsets, good value at 75c, for 50c.

Ladies' 2-clasp Kid Gloves, all colors and Black, regular dollar goods, at 75c a pair.

C. J. WELKER,
SCHMITZ BLOCK,
118 CALHOUN ST.

The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 7, 1900.

TONIGHT.

Volunteers of America—Religious services in the armory, No. 203 Calhoun street, near Montgomery.

Tailors' Union—Called meeting at 41 West Main street.

Hod Carriers—Regular meeting at Union No. 10 at No. 04 ast Main street.

Stonemasons—Regular meeting of Union No. 7, at No. 04 East Main street.

Church of Christ, Scientist—Regular meeting in Harmony hall on West Berry street.

Theosophical Society and Universal Brotherhood—Regular meeting in Vordermark hall, No. 32 Calhoun street.

Lodges—Fort Wayne Council, No. 4, R. & S. M., meets for work; Fort Wayne Chapter, No. 19, Royal Arch Masons, meets for work; Mechecaunochqua Tribe, No. 106, I. O. R. M.; Hibernian Rifles; Concordia, No. 228; Kekionga Council, No. 93, National Union; Eden No. 1, Adams Royal Sons; Fort Wayne Lodge, No. 1,327; Wayne Council, No. 35, Jr. O. U. A. M.

Masonic Temple—The Davidson Stock company in repertoire each evening during the week.

General Buller has picked a new way to Ladysmith which has no objectionable features as regards perimeter and water supply. When General Buller advances along it a little he will probably find that its diameter or its radius is not just what he expected it to be.

Old Kentucky never tires. Fayette county has produced the champion knocker and kicker. His venerated name is Hostetter, he is a farmer and he has been arrested for threatening to kill the county board and blow up the new court house in Lexington because his taxes were increased $1,000.

While the British newspapers are reporting the arrival at Cairo of Osman Digna "with chains about his sore ankles and swollen bare feet," and at the same time containing letters from prisoners at Pretoria telling of their comfortable quarters and varied fare, the time does not appear wholly propitious for denouncing the cruelty of the barbarous Boers.

What is the condition of government by the people when we find that a candidate for congress is to be disposed of in the simple way indicated by a dispatch from Cleveland, which mentions briefly and as a mere matter of current news that Senator Hanna "has sent orders to Ohio that James R. Garfield must be suppressed." Mr. Garfield has been making a lively canvass for the seat in congress now occupied by F. O. Phillips. Mr. Phillips became alarmed and appealed to Senator Hanna.

In 1750 a missionary marked a map of Africa at the point where Kimberley now is with the words, "Here be diamonds"; but it was not until the year 1867 that this source of wealth was discovered, and the great elevated desert of Colesberg kopje, just outside the western border of the Orange Free State, began to teem with life. The wilderness had been given over to the Griquas, a tribe or nation of mixed Dutch and Kaffir origin. In 1867 John O'Reilly obtained of a Dutch farmer, named Van Niekirk, a stone which the latter had bought of a little Griqua boy. O'Reilly sold the stone and divided the $2,500 with Van Niekirk, who bought another one from a little Hottentot boy, and it was sold in Cape Town for $50,000. This was the famous "Star of South Africa," weighing 83½ carats. Prospectors began to flock to the region and in 1869 Kimberley was formally founded.

A bill is now before congress, with apparently good prospects of passing, to restore the old frigate Constitution to the serviceable list of the navy. It is estimated that at a cost of $100,000 "Old Ironsides" could be made an excellent training ship. If a new ship were built even more money would be required, so the plan to put the famous old frigate in harness once more would seem to be wise. A boy who received his nautical training aboard the Constitution should make a better American, if not a better sailer.

A New York newspaper telegraphed the attorney generals of various states asking for their opinions as to the constitutionality of Governor Taylor's act in adjourning the Kentucky legislature. The replies were of different tenor, but the answer of the attorney general of Maine was certainly most to the point. He said: "From newspaper reports I should not suppose Kentucky had any constitution." If there is any such document down there they treat it with as much airy unconcern as did the New York statesman who asked: "What is the constitution between friends?"

Our Spanish war was neither a great conflict nor of long duration, and the Philippine rebellion, which followed it, has never risen to the dignity of a great struggle. Fighting at long range, even when there is little real fighting to be done, is expensive, however, and the figures furnished by the various departments at Washington show that war, even on a small scale, comes high. The total cost to date, including the $20,000,000 paid for the Philippines, of the combined military and naval operations since the outbreak of Spanish hostilities is $355,000,000, of which the lion's share, or $255,000,000, has been spent upon the army. Of the $69,000,000 spent upon the navy a goodly portion at least may be classed as an expenditure of a permanent character which will have a future value. The vessels purchased or built, with their armaments, constitute an important addition to our naval equipment.

MURDERER DIES GAME.

Sandwich, Ont., Feb. 7.—Levi Steward was hanged in the Essex county jail here this morning at 6:18 o'clock. All night he had been cheered in his cell by three ministers and several women singers. They sang hymns up to the moment Steward was led to the gallows. As he came out of the jail into the raw, gray morning he said to the people who had assembled to witness his execution: "Good-bye, gentlemen; all. I hope you will all learn to pray so you can meet me in heaven." He stepped upon the gallows bravely and his nerve never deserted him. The cap down over his head, one of the ministers who had followed him from his cell, began the Lord's prayer. At the words "Deliver us from evil" Hangman Radclive pulled the trap and Steward fell. There was not a motion from the figure at the end of the rope and twenty minutes later he was pronounced dead by the physicians in attendance.

TROUBLE AT CAPE NOME.

New York, Feb. 7.—There will be a reign of terror in the new gold fields at Cape Nome, Alaska, next summer, in the opinion of John G. Brady, governor of the territory, and George N. Wright, postmaster at Cape Nome, unless congress takes steps to establish civil government on a fir mfoundation and makes laws defining the proprietorship of claims. Governor Brady and Mr. Wright are in the east endeavoring to obtain the appointment of United States judges at Sitka, Circle City and Cape Nome. An extraordinary rush of gold seekers to Cape Nome is expected next May, when communication with the outside world is reopened. Mr. Wright believes that before the end of the summer there will be 60,000 persons in Cape Nome.

PLAGUE HAS DISAPPEARED.

Lisbon, Feb. 7.—A decree has been issued announcing that the bubonic plague has disappeared from Oporto and the quarantine of that port has been raised.

Try The Sentinel Want Columns.

THE TEST SEVERE.

DRAIN ON GAS RESERVOIR IS CENTRALIZED.

A VIEW OF THE SITUATION

IMPROVEMENTS HAVE COST $2,000,000.

SOME INTERESTING FIGURES

LATEST DATA ON NATURAL GAS SUPPLY.

[Correspondence Indianapolis Press.]

Kokomo, Ind., Feb. 6.—The Indiana natural gas reservoir has been subjected to a severe test during the past week. Every consumer in Indiana and the many thousands in thirty-two Ohio towns and cities and 10,000 in Chicago, which draw on Indiana for supply, have opened their burners wide. It is estimated that during the coldest days last week the drain amounted to 3,250,000,000 cubic feet a day. Everyone of the 6,500 old and new producers were needed, and it was all nineteen pumping stations could do to meet the demands. The only signal failure was in reaching Crawfordsville. Lebanon, too, was cold part of the time, and some of the Ohio cities filed some complaint. There had been a great deal of apprehension that such a crucial test of the reservoir would be attended with dire results. While most all cities had fair service, most of those in the gas belt and many of the pipe-line cities had even better service than at any time in the past.

Very few realize how limited is the territory from which the supply is now drawn. When the field was opened it covered 4,000 square miles, and the general opinion at present is that all of the original territory is still drawn upon. The really first-class territory is less than 200 square miles in area, and the gas-producing section is now hardly more than a fourth of what it was originally. All of the pipe line companies this year are drawing from practically one locality. One standing on the intersection of Madison, Delaware and Grant county lines can almost see the territory from which Chicago draws to the north, Indianapolis to the south and Ohio to the east. The pipe lines have already invaded that territory which has been called "virgin," and during the coming season all of the pipe lines will meet within its boundaries. This is supposed to be the apex of the great gas-producing arch, and the heavy drain on it can have but one effect.

Indianapolis is drawing on practically 500 producing wells. The Consumers' Gas Trust company has in the neighborhood of 225; the Indianapolis Gas company, 175; the Manufacturers', 100. The Ohio company, which pipes to thirty-two points in that state, is drawing on 230; Lafayette has seventy-five hitched on; the Logansport and Wabash Valley company has 170 on its lines furnishing Logansport, Peru and Decatur. The Indiana Natural and Illuminating Gas company, supplying Crawfordsville, Lebanon and Frankfort, has about 130 good wells connected to its two stations. The Chicago company is furnishing 10,000 consumers from 125 wells. In economy this company has the lead over all. Fort Wayne and Bluffton have 165 wells, and Richmond has something over 100. The gas belt cities have greatly increased their wells. Anderson, which relied on thirty wells last winter, has over seventy now connected. This is representative of the increase for cities of the district. It is estimated that there are now 6,500 wells being drawn on for private consumption and manufacturing purposes. The total number of wells drilled in the field since gas was discovered is placed at about 8,800.

It will be news to those who have been censuring gas companies for alleged indifference to find that the pipe-line companies alone have invested over $2,000,000 during the last year in extending their lines and bettering service, though it is evident to all that it is but a matter of a short time until most pipe-lines will be practically valueless. The Chicago company has led all, with a total expenditure of $1,200,000, in erecting twenty-two pump stations at Fairmount and running a third ten-inch main through to Chicago. The pipe alone cost $87,000. The Greentown station was also improved and enlarged. The Indianapolis Consumers' Trust company has erected a new station near Gilman, and has extended its lines north until that is now the only company drawing from the limited section in Grant county which is known as "virgin territory." The Redkey Transportation pipe-line and the Ohio-Indiana Gas companies have increased their pumping facilities at Redkey by adding pumps and have extended their lines west. The Logansport and Wabash Valley Gas company has had the greatest load of all to carry, considering the population which it furnishes and the prospects for the future. Pumping stations have been built for Peru and Decatur. The Indiana Natural and Illuminating Gas company, supplying Crawfordsville, Lebanon and Frankfort, has been compelled to add another pumping station near Kempton and extend their lines thirty or forty miles east, until those towns are now getting gas from the fountain head. The Lafayette company has been compelled to follow this lead. The Muncie Glass company erected a station near Reed in Delaware county. It is the first manufacturing company to take this step. The enumerated improvements alone will foot up over $2,000,000. The original pressure of the field was 325 pounds. The profitable productive field at present lies within the inner lines, which only include portions of Madison, Delaware, Grant and Blackford counties. Gas is found outside of this area in sufficient quantities to supply small consumers, but it does not meet the requirements of pipe-line companies.

The manufacturers in the field proper are much encouraged. As a general thing the pressure this year has been much better than they had reason to expect. Those who were counting on a very limited tenure for the future have extended their estimates considerably. In all parts of the field oil is manifesting a desire to flow, and there are wells two miles east of Alexandria, in the very center of the field, which would, it is claimed by their owners, run 400 barrels at least for a few days.

CASTELLANE AFTER MONEY.

New York, Feb. 7.—Count De Castellane has practically admitted that he came to this country to get money from the Goulds. He denies most positively that he has negotiated with Russell Sage for a loan. Frederic R. Coudert, jr., is endeavoring to assist the count on the rough road of temporary stringency, but how well he may be able to do remains to be seen.

"You may say," said Count De Castellane, when asked about the Russell Sage rumor, "that it is all untrue. I have not seen Mr. Sage or his agent since I came to America."

"Did you come to America to get money from the Goulds?" the count was asked, but he did not answer for a moment. He appeared nervous, and as he walked away said: "Naturally, naturally, most naturally."

The Goulds appear to be on excellent terms with De Castellane. It is denied that the count has lost money at gaming, but the money is needed to complete the $5,000,000 palace which is building in Paris.

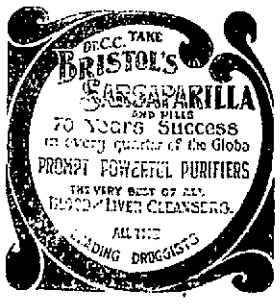
ROOSEVELT REFUSES.

New York, Feb. 7.—Governor Roosevelt has formally refused a tender of the Platt machine's support for the vice-presidential nomination. It came through Chairman B. B. Odell, jr., of the republican state committee. Presumably Senator Platt was a party to the offer, though the illness of his wife in Washington prevented his submiting it in person. During a comparatively brief interview between Roosevelt and Odell the former made it perfectly plain that he long ago scented the plan to force him out of state politics. And when they parted it was understood, at least so far as Roosevelt was concerned, that he would, if necessary, contest the gubernatorial nomination next fall against Odell, Woodruff or any other man Platt may select. Meantime, should any further attempt be made to present his name for the vice-presidency at the Philadelphia convention he would peremptorily decline to stand.

WILL SOON INCORPORATE.

The Catholic Benevolent League of Indian held a regular meeting last evening at St. Mary's school hall. The organizing committee reported on new applicants, and the committee on constitution and by-laws reported further on their doings. John J. Kohrman was elected temporary treasurer. The organizing committee will report on all applicants examined and if enough are examined, articles of association will be filed and a state charter applied for at once to do business.

W. F. Wake, of Bluffton, transacted business in Fort Wayne Tuesday.



THE HUMANE SOCIETY MET

WILL TRY AND ENLIST CHILDREN IN THE WORK.

Humane Officer Schlaudroff submitted His Monthly Report—What Is Doing.

The Humane society met Tuesday afternoon in Attorney A. H. Bittenger's office. President Wilson presided and C. E. Archer acted as secretary. Mrs. Gause reported progress in securing membership and hoped soon to have a membership of 500. Such an organization would establish the headquarters of Northeastern Indiana in this city.

The following preamble and resolution was unanimously adopted:

"Whereas, We believe that much cruelty might be prevented by enlisting the children of the public schools in the protection of the dumb animals; therefore, be it

"Resolved, That we ask the officers and teachers of both city and country schools to revive the band of mercy work, that the children may be taught the principles of justice and kindness to all living creatures."

Humane Officer Schlaudroff's report for the month of January was as follows:

CHILDREN.

Abandoned or neglected	11
Beaten or abused	11
Destitute families	6
Number of children in these families	16
Homeless	7
Having improper homes	14
Incorrigible	1
Wife beaters	4
Aged parents abused or neglected by children	2
Number of children taken to rescue home	8

Five of the children taken to the rescue home were given to the board of children's guardian. Two were returned to their mothers. One that had been in the care of our society for five years was removed from the home in which she had been placed, and put in the care of Mrs. M. B. Gorsline by order of the directors.

One woman was, by her own request, removed with her four little children and household goods, from a brutal husband to the home of her father. One man was prosecuted for extreme cruelty to his little children and fined $20 and costs. He could not pay his fine, consequently went to jail. His wife, with two small children, were sent by the township trustee to relatives in Detroit, Mich.

One man, with wife and four small children, who had spent all of his money last pay day for drink and then beat his wife, was reprimanded, and with consent of his wife, was allowed to go without arrest on promise of good behavior in the future.

One woman, without cause, deserted her husband, taking with her their three-year-old daughter. The child was restored to its father.

Twenty-five cases in all were reported. Twenty persons were warned.

One person was prosecuted and convicted for cruelty to a child.

ANIMALS.

Deprived of necessary food or shelter	10
Over driven	1
Horses killed, not fit for further use	2
Horses blanketed on street	5
Owners of horses warned with red tag	3

Dr. Carrie B. Banning returned this morning from Madison, Wis., where she attended a reunion of her college fraternity.

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THE END EXPECTED HOURLY

AGED STATESMAN IS INDIANA'S GRAND OLD MAN.

ROY JONES ESCAPES JAIL

ABDUCTOR OF BURGER GIRL GETS AWAY.

Terre Haute, Ind., Feb. 7.—Richard W. Thompson, ex-secretary of the navy, cannot live longer than a day or two, according to his physicians, who say the venerable statesman has lost the recuperative power which several times has restored him to good health after serious prostration. His nervous force has collapsed and today he is in a stupor. For several weeks he has been steadily losing strength by attacks of illness. He has taken little food and in the last day or two none at all.

Telegrams were sent yesterday to his sons, Richard, in Texas, and Fred, in California. One son and two daughters are with him.

Colonel Thompson would be 91 years old next June. Until a year ago he frequently had fainting spells when for a few minutes there seemed to be entire suspension of animation, but on recovery he would be better than before the attack. Physicians could not diagnose his case, but attributed it to a peculiar form of epilepsy caused by excessive smoking. For sixty years he had averaged eight or ten cigars a day.

Colonel Thompson is the oldest living ex-member of congress. He represented this district in 1841. His last appearance on a public occasion was at a banquet given in honor of his birthday last June.

THE FORESTERS ASSEMBLE.

Valparaiso, Ind., Feb. 7.—The annual convention of the Independent Order of Foresters of Indiana opened here yesterday. The high court officers and 100 delegates are in attendance. The meeting wil close Thursday. The question affecting the admission of women to an auxiliary order will be definitely settled at this session.

STANDARD FOR PRIZE CORN.

Richmond, Ind., Feb. 7.—The State Corn Growers' association has adopted a score card for judging corn at the state and county fairs. It is as follows: Uniformity of variety and exhibit, 10 points; condition of marketableness, 10 points; well filled out at ends, 20 points; perfection and uniformity of grain, 3 points; length of ear, 5 points; circumference of ear, 5 points; straightness and regularity of rows of grains, 10 points; per cent. of grain, 25 points. The standard of perfection is as follows: "A perfect ear of corn in the northern third of the state should be nine inches in length; in the central third, ten inches; in the southerd third, eleven inches. The diameter as to length should be as one to four. The ear should yield 90 per cent. of grain. The ear should taper slightly, approaching the cylindrical to near the point. It should be well filled out at both ends, with rows of grains regular and straight. Disqualifications are as follows: A red cob in white corn; a white cob in yellow corn. This applies to white and yellow corn only.

RAN FROM THE JAIL.

Peru, Ind., Feb. 7.—Ray Jones, the abductor of Nellie Berger, from her home, north of this city, some months ago, and who, with the girl, was found by Sheriff Gast, of Rochester, in the southern part of the state, and returned to this city for trial, and against whom threats of lynching were so persistent that the sheriff of this county called on the governor of the state for troops, escaped from jail here last evening at 7 o'clock. The escape came about in the jail officers' endeavor to force a crazy person into one of the cells adjoining that of Jones, and, in some manner, leaving the barred gate leading to his cell open. In a flash Jones was out and away with a good start, as the officers were unable to leave the man with whom they were struggling. Officers are scouring the country, and information has been sent all over the state. Miss Berger is now lying at death's door.

FIGHTER BECOMES A PRIEST.

Notre Dame, Ind., Feb. 7.—Gen. W. A. Olmstead, of the civil war, was ordained to deaconship yesterday in the Church of the Sacred Heart at Notre Dame. Thursday he will receive holy orders and become a priest of the Congregation of the Holy Cross. The ceremony of ordination will be be conducted by Bishop O'Gorman, of Sioux Falls, S. D.

General Olmstead was mustered out of the army at the close of the civil war with the rank of brevet brigadier general. He had entered the service as captain in the Second New York infantry and rose to the rank of colonel of the Fifty-ninth New York volunteers. As brigadier general he commanded the First brigade, Third division, of the Second army corps. At the conclusion of the war he studied medicine and served a number of years as army surgeon. Later he left the service and located at Cheyenne, Wyo. He came to Notre Dame six years ago and entered the seminary. He is post commander of the Notre Dame post of the G. A. R. and a member of the Loyal Legion. He is prefect of Corby hall, the dormitory building of the freshmen students of the university.

Two others received orders with General Olmstead—Thomas Hennessey, recently graduated from the Catholic university, and Henry Biro.

THE REMONSTRATORS WIN.

Auburn, Ind., Feb. 7.—The combined work of the temperance people of this city and township has resulted in a victory, in the determination to prevent the issuance of liquor licenses. It has been less than two weeks since the petition began circulating. Two town has supported seven saloons and two branch agencies of brewing concerns, and the temperance people have not been without opposition. The movement was encouraged by the business and professional men of Angola, who have succeeded, during the past eighteen months, in preventing the issuance of sixteen licenses. The remonstrators here number 524, which is thirty-six more than a legal majority. These remonstrators have invested Judge Frank S. Roby, John W. Baxter and Albert Robbins with the power of attorney. The final hearing will come before the county commissioners this afternoon. The saloon men are disposed to question the power of attorney, but there seems to be no doubt as to its legality. If it is effective, it will close the first saloon in March and all of them within ten months.

BURIAL OF THE NEWTONS.

Portland, Ind., Feb. 7.—In one casket the remains of Banker William Newton and his brother, John, were interred in Green Park cemetery, yesterday, after a service at the Presbyterian church. Searchers are still at work on the ruins of the Newton home, busily engaged in looking for the strong box in which William Newton kept his valuables. If this cannot be found the theory of a double murder and arson will be clinched. The ruins are still hot and smoldering.

Two strange stories are being told. Rev. Mr. Clark says that when he passed the Newton home at 12 o'clock Sunday night it was brilliantly lighted from top to bottom, an unusual circumstance. Capt. John Schmuck, residing at Blaine, west of here, says that at 4 o'clock Monday morning a hand car was seen flying past his house over the Lake Erie and Western railroad, but none of the railway officials or section men can explain it. If one was used, it was stolen and put back without knowledge of the railway employes. Many think that the Newtons were murdered and their home was burned, the murderers escaping in that way.

Answers to the cable messages sent to English relatives have been received.

A SUSPICION OF FOUL PLAY.

Union City, Ind., Feb. 7.—Peter Armstrong, who jumped from a second floor window on Saturday last and was removed to the county infirmary, died last evening after undergoing amputation of a leg. There is a suspicion that Armstrong was a victim of foul play and an inquiry is beinb made. A stranger who roomed with him before the accident has left the city and Armstrong's friends are now claiming that Armstrong was thrown from the window and that he did not voluntarily jump.

ACETATE OF COPPER.

Kokomo, Ind., Feb. 7.—Mel Bassett and James Mulvine, of this city, are thought to be dying and "Dr." Stevens is in a precarious condition. All are colored. Yesterday they cooked a quantity of pigs' feet and potatoes in an unused kettle that had been lying for months about a barber shop. Verdigris had gathered in the vessel, which had not been properly cleaned. It is suposed that the poisoning came from the acetate of copper.

LIABILITY OF THE COMPANY.

Richmond, Ind., Feb. 7.—Some time ago Dr. J. M. Thurston, of this city, brought suit against the American Fidelity and Casualty company for $1,000 indemnity. While performing a surgical aperation he accidentally punctured a finger with a needle. Blood poisoning resulted, and came near causing death. The casualty company refused to allow the claim for disability on the ground that an accident of the character sustained by Dr. Thurston was not covered by the policy. The company filed a demurrer to the complaint to the effect that the grounds for the suit were not sufficiently specific. Judge Fox has overruled the demurrer, which is virtually a decision for the plaintiff.

LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY.

Decatur, Ind., Feb. 7.—Elaborate preparations are making for the celebration of Lincoln's birthday in this city next Monday. The city schools will be dismissed.

WIFE AND CHILD AT PORTLAND.

Portland, Ind., Feb. 7.—Ernest Guild, who was killed by a nitroglycerine explosion near Lima, Ohio, yesterday, has a wife and child in this city.

CHANGES HIS NAME.

Decatur, Ind., Feb. 7.—Barnet Kalvirisky, a wealthy Russian Jew of this city, has been granted a change of name to Barnet Kalver.

NORTHERN INDIANA NOTES.

South Bend is already moving to secure the State Medical society meeting in 1901.

James M. Johnson, aged 69, a pioneer of Smith township, Whitley county, dropped dead at the home of V. A. Compton, of Warsaw, with whom he had been transacting some business.

Cora Neal, the 8-year-old daughter of Elmer Neal, of Warsaw, was burned to death. During the mother's absence the child attempted to put wood in the stove and her clothing caught fire.

During the temporary absence of Mrs. Jean Ebert, of Swayzee, her little 13-month-old babe was burned to a crisp in its crib. It appears that while Mrs. Ebert was out the gas came on in the stove and the flames caught the child's clothing. When the mother returned the babe was burned almost beyond recognition. The funeral was held Sunday afternoon.

The last will and testament of the late James Daily was probated at Bluffton and bequeaths all his real estate, consisting of sixty acres in section 2 and forty in section 11, Lancaster township, to his wife during her life time, as well as all his personal property. At her death it is to go to his children and grandchildren. His children are all to share alike, each to get one-ninth of the estate left at her death. James O. Dailey and Jesse M. Dailey are appointed executors.

FOSTER SCORES THE BOERS.

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 7.—In the house of commons yesterday George E. Foster, former finance minister, concluded an arraignment of the cabinet for its conduct in relation to the contingents for South Africa, with a peroration which brought the entire opposition to their feet cheering. Mr. Foster's speech, after condemning Laurier and his colleagues for refusing to send a contingent until galvanized into action by resistless public opinion, took up Laurier's statement in the house last night that he hoped when settlement with the Boers came all the rights they enjoyed would be preserved. He described these rights as taxation without representation, unjust courts, oppression, and the right to rob, murder and wage war, and declared a minister of the British crown would have done better to look with Chamberlain to a settlement which will forever prevent South Africa being twined again into an arsenal to perpetrate injustice and attack British power. War, he said, was better than sitting down under injustice and wrong, and this war had lifted Great Britain, Canada and the empire into a higher plane than they were on six months before, a plane instinct with self-sacrifice in the cause of human welfare. As the speaker sat down the members of the opposition, who had gradually become more and more demonstrative, rose and gave cheer after cheer.

BIG SUITS FILED.

Washington, Feb. 7.—The Atlantic Contracting company, J. F. Gaynor, president, has filed two suits in the United States court of claims against the United States—one for $709,797, and the other for $249,342. These suits have grown out of the contracts entered into by the company with ex-Captain Oberlin M. Carter, corps of engineers of the United States army, for work alleged to have been done by the company in connection with improvements in Savannah harbor and Cumberland sound, Georgia.

But three states in the Union pay their governors an annual salary of $10,000. They are New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania.

HE HAS NOT BEEN DEPOSED

CHINESE EMPEROR STILL ON HIS THRONE.

Empress Dowager Changed Her Mind About Retiring Him at Once as She Intended.

Pekin, Feb. 7.—It is generally believed that the dowager empress will not attempt the formal deposition of the emperor at the present moment, though that this was her first intention there is little doubt.

It is gathered from creditable Chinese sources that the dowager intended to carry out her plans during the first days of the new year.

Everything had been prepared for the coup, but at the last moment representations to her that such a course probably would create serious opposition in the south, and this induced her to temporarily abandon her decision.

There is much anxiety in native quarters regarding the dowager empress' next move. It is generally thought, however, that she will allow matters to remain as at present until she is able to ascertain to a certainty what attitude the emperor's party is likely to assume.

There is little reason to believe that the emperor's party is strongly enough united to give serious trouble whatever action the dowager takes.

CONSIDERING THE TREATY.

Washington, Feb. 7.—The senate committee on foreign relations met today to consider the Nicaraugua canal treaty. The discussion was animate. While some opposition was manifested, it was not of such a character as to indicate the defeat of the treaty, but that it will be amended there seems to be little doubt. One of the amendments proposed is that the whole of the Clayton-Bulwer treaty shall be abrogated. It is said by members of the committee favoring this change that there is no need of keeping alive any portion of the old treaty. Another change suggested is in regard to the protection of the canal. The treaty declares there shall be no fortifications and it is said this will prevent the United States from erecting batteries which are by some considered absolutely necessary in view of the insurrections that occur from time to time in South American countries. It is possible that this language will be modified so that such protection as the United States deems necessary may be afforded along the route of the canal.

DANGER IS PAST.

Dr. J. A. Lomas has returned from Eel River township, where he has been attending the case of Mrs. Luther Greenwell, who has been suffering from small pox. Dr. Lomas says the lady is practically out of danger, though the quarantine has not yet been raised. There was a number of exposures, but all were promptly vaccinated, and so much time has elapsed with no new cases that Dr. Lomas believes there will be no spread of the disease. The trained nurse still remains with Mrs. Greenwell.

IN FEAR OF SMALLPOX.

Frederickton, N. B., Feb. 7.—The New Brunswick government officials are enforcing the health regulations in several counties in view of an outbreak of smallpox. The disease was brought to New Brunswick from the province of Quebec, where now are nearly 280 cases. There are about sixty cases in New Brunswick at present.

HEAVY LIABILITIES.

Boston, Mass., Feb. 7.—The largt clothing firm of Miner, Beal & Co. of this city, assigned today, with liabilities placed at $450,000. The assets are not stated. The firm, which has operated branch stores in several New England cites, includes S. A. Miner, L. Beal, A. F. Cooke and H. K. Dutton, and is one of the largest in its line in New England.

CHURUBUSCO

U. B. quarterly meeting was held near LaOtto Sunday, Rev. Tedrow, of Bryan, Ohio, being present.

John Fullan attended business at Huntertown Saturday.

Miss Louie Kell, was the guest of Mable Hatch of Fort Wayne, Saturday.

The funeral of James Johnson, a pioneer of Whitley county, was held at Eel River Sunday. His death was very unexpected. He went to the home of a neighbor in good health, and died immediately after his arrival.

Frank Fogel is at home this week.

M. W. Madden and G. Arthur are the joint owners of a very valuable horse.

Mrs. Charles Egg, of Fort Wayne, was the guest of friends here last week.

Mrs. John Bair is dangerously ill.

J. W. Nickey was home from Buffalo this week.

Miss Maggie Coulter entertained the J. C. O. club Saturday evening.

Charles Brown and Alf Dull attended business in Fort Wayne Saturday.

Willard Smith will soon engage in the hardware business in this city, having resigned his position as telegraph operator near Detroit.

Henry Roberson visited his mother at Fort Wayne a part of the week.

Charles Lancaster and wife, of Columbia City, are the guests of S. F. Barr.

Miss Myrtle Maxwell, of Fort Wayne, has returned home. She has been the guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Deck.

Mrs. Florence Lancaster spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Coulter, her mother, on Line street.

Dr. Morrison has been under the weather owing to too much exposure. His many patients keep him going night and day.

Country roads are in good condition for sleighing and still we wait for the snow that doesn't come.

DAWKINS.

Some of the old veterans went to Fort Wayne Monday to take part in the march and see the remains of General Lawton.

Well the ground hog has seen his shadow and we may have plenty of winter yet.

The farmers are very busy hauling tile at present.

Robert Porter and Lum Croy are getting ready to move to Kalkaska, Mich.

William Pio must have thought we would have lots of winter yet, for he has got a fine lot of poles buzzed into fire wood.

Discussion of the Nineteenth century and the Kentucky governorship is about all the go around here.

The snow will be a fine thing on the wheat now, for it needs it bad.

A. W. Gregg is hauling corn to Edgerton.

The teacher at school No. 3, in Jackson township, was in the city Monday on business.

Tarl and Joe Stauffer are going to Illinois, where they have a job of work.

Charley Ruble has come back from the north.

Henry Bloom was in Monroeville Monday on business.

Oliver Kiser has come home from Berne, Ind.

L. L. McKuras, of Dalbec, Ind., is visiting A. E. Mizners.

A MONUMENT TO LINCOLN.

Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 7.—The Lincoln Birthday association has a fund of about $10,000 left by the late Julius E. Francis, as stated in his will, "to perpetuate the memory of Abraham Lincoln," which the trustees have offered to the park department as a contribution toward a monument to Lincoln.

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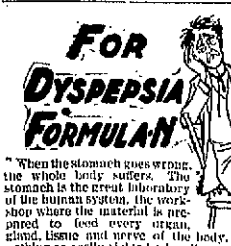

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CONDITION NAMED

BY MANAGER OF THE FORT WAYNE TRACTION CO.

FOR THE USE OF THE TRACKS

BY THE PROPOSED INTERURBAN RAILWAY.

OLD COMPANY WANTS FARES

COLLECTED IN CITY—ANOTHER PROPOSITION.

The members of the board of works held a conference yesterday with the manager of the Fort Wayne Traction company and discussed the Indiana and Ohio Traction company, which is desirous of securing a right-of-way through the city of Fort Wayne. The board did not meet with a refusal from the local company when the suggestion was made that the interurban line be allowed to use the tracks of the Fort Wayne Traction company in the city limits. Mr. Scott said that if the interurban line crossed the river on the Walton avenue bridge and connected with the Main street line at Washington street the local company would allow the cars the privilege of using the tracks to Calhoun street and thence south to Creighton avenue, and then west to Broadway, or the tracks could be used from the east end to Broadway and thence south to Creighton avenue. Mr. Scott further agreed that if the city would grant the right-of-way to the local traction company he would agree to construct tracks to the Esmond bridge and allow the interurban line to use these tracks without additional cost. If this proposition is accepted the Fort Wayne Traction company reserves the right to retain all fares collected inside the city limits. By this is meant that the Fort Wayne Traction company insists that a five-cent fare shall be collected and paid to them. The old company will provide the conductor to collect the fares during the trip over their lines and will later return two cents of this fare to the interurban line.

The members of the board inquired of Mr. Scott if arrangements could be made to allow the interurban line to come into the city over the Lakeside line, that is, use the line from the Columbia street bridge to Calhoun street. Mr. Scott told the board that the Lakeside line was a loser and the Fort Wayne Traction company did not now own it, but intended to buy, if possible. He did not favor a double track all the way on Columbia street, but said if the new company would build a double track from Clinton to Calhoun street the Fort Wayne Traction company would agree to allow the use of its tracks from the bridge to Clinton. From Clinton to Calhoun the Indiana and Ohio company could use its own tracks and the old company could then have the use of the double track for one square. For the use of the tracks the Fort Wayne Traction company would charge nothing.

Mr. Scott said that it was the intention of the company to use trailers on the summer cars and he would like for the board of works and the council to decide once for all whether they would grant a franchise on Clinton, from Main to Columbia, making a belt for the transfer of the big cars from one line to another. He did not, however, make this a part of the agreement he was willing to enter into with the promoters of the proposed interurban line.

City Attorney Shambaugh was requested by the board to meet H. C. Hanna, attorney for the Indiana and Ohio company, and inform him of the result of the conference with Manager Scott.

NO CHANGE IN FACT.

New York, Feb. 7.—The Washington correspondent of the Journal and Advertiser avers that he has received information indicating that Ambassador Choate and Lord Salisbury were in London Tuesday perfecting the details of the settlement of the Alaskan permanent boundary line with the British right to tidewater facilities as an essential feature of the prospective Nicaraguan canal convention. In other words, while the Clayton-Bulwer treaty and the Alaskan boundary have been dissociated out of respect to American prejudice, they are closely associated in fact.

INDIANS DON WARPAINT.

Victoria, B. C., Feb. 7.—Word has been received by the department of Indian affairs and by the police authorities of fresh trouble among the Indians of Upper Liard. Seven members of a Scotch-Indian family named McTavish are said to have been murdered. There was an epidemic of scurvy last fall and the story was started among the Indians that the McTavishes had caused it by witchcraft. A council was held, the McTavishes condemned and a night attack planned for their destruction. Setting fire to the McTavish home, the savages shot their victims as they attempted to escape the flames, only one of the family of eight succeeding in reaching the shelter of the forest and ultimately the Gasha Trading company's store at Laketown. Constable Stewart, with two men, started at once, under the guidance of the sole survivor of the hapless family, to arrest the murderers and the trio have not yet returned. Commissioner Porter, of Telegraph Creek, has sent an effective posse to take energetic action in the case.

THE IOWA A FLAGSHIP.

San Diego, Cal., Feb. 7.—Admiral Kautz has transferred his flag from the Philadelphia to the Iowa, the transfer being attended with the usual salutes and ceremonies. The Philadelphia has sailed for San Francisco.

SYMPATHY FOR BOERS GROWS

MAY YET FORCE AN OFFER OF MEDIATION.

An Effort Likely to Soon be Made Under the Hague Treaty to End the War.

Washington, Feb. 7.—A special to the Times from Washington says:

It is learned that under the terms of The Hague treaty, which has just been ratified by the senate, an effort will be made before long to exert such offices as may properly be extended to the belligerents to bring about a termination of the war in South Africa. Before this treaty was adopted it was maintained that the United States could not, without exposing this government to the suspicion of unfriendly motives, venture to suggest the use of the good offices to both parties.

Even now there may be some hesitation about declaring, by advances made, even with the best intentions, that the Transvaal is or is not a vassal state, but it is beginning to be appreciated here that the sympathy for the Boers is widespread and increasing and that it may not be wise to defer too long the offer of friendly intervention to save life on both sides.

It has been discovered here that while there is no loss of appreciation of the attitude of Great Britain toward the United States during the war with Spain, and as the inclination to let the British go on and settle their own difficulties in their own way, there is making for the Boers a strong feeling of sympathy because they have at least a nominal republic.

On the republican side the feeling is not so strong as it is on the democratic side, where almost every man is a Boer sympathizer. This situation undoubtedly arises from a desire on the part of the republicans to avoid a course that will conflict with Mr. McKinley's policy. The democrats may take advantage of this knowledge to press the Boer side in order to embarrass the administration.

OIL PUMPERS MAY STRIKE.

Findlay, Ohio, Feb. 7.—A general strike within twenty-four hours of all pumpers employed by the Ohio Oil company, a branch of the Standard Oil company, is threatened. Last fall wages were raised from $55 to $60 per month. An order was issued Saturday last for the men to work Sunday. Many refused and were discharged Monday when they started to work. The strong Oil Well Workers' union has taken their case up and unless concessions are made by the company will call a strike affecting all northwestern Ohio and Indiana. If a strike is ordered it is probable drillers and tool dressers will also go out, thus completely tying up the gigantic industry. So far the Ohio company has refused to arbitrate.

CEDARVILLE ITEMS.

An entertainment will be given at the Cedarville school house Saturday evening, February 17, for the benefit of the library.

Mrs. E. Smith is on the sick list.

Rev. Chenawith, our pastor, has begun a revival meeting at Robinson chapel. We wish him grand success.

The grip has taken hold in our community.

Dr. Carry heard spiritual rappings on his office Saturday afternoon. Mr. E. Zentner fell a tree on it.

D. M. Magers spent Sunday with his wife at Cedarville.

The teachers of the Cedarville M. E. Sunday school have organized a teacher's meeting. They meet every Saturday evening.

Miss Lilly Walbolt has gone to live with her grandmother at Chamberlain.

The Cedarville Literary society reorganized last Friday evening.

THE MARKETS.

Chicago, Feb. 7.—The wheat market opened firm today, influenced by the prediction of a cold wave and by firm cables. May ⅜@½c up at 67⅝@67¾c. The Liverpool market advanced after some easiness at the opening because of fear that La Plata shipments would be delayed. This was reflected in the local pit, May advancing early to 68¼c. Shorts were liberal buyers. Local receipts were 19 cars none of which were of graded contract. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 356 cars, against 274 last week and 255 a year ago.

The close was strong, May 1½@1¾c over yesterday at 68¾@68½c. Trade was steady a greater part of the session. A report of bad weather for crops in France was a support.

Corn was active and strong, helped by high Liverpool cables, light country offerings and sympathy with wheat. The English market was higher on reports of damage to the Argentine crop. Receipts were 640 cars. May opened ¼@⅜c over yesterday and advanced to 33⅝c.

Corn continued fairly active and closed strong, May ⅜c up at 33½@33⅝c.

The trade in oats early was small, but that market was firm in sympathy with other grains. May opened a shade up at 23⅜@23½c and advanced to 23⅝c. Local receipts were 178 cars.

The provision market opened lower because of receipts of hogs over the estimate and lower prices at the yards. Liverpool was strong for product and this, together with sympathy with grain, came as a support early and the initial losses were retrieved. Trading was active. May pork opened 7½@10c down at $11.00 and advanced to $11.17½; May lard 5c depressed at $6.10, reacting to $6.15, and May ribs 2½c under yesterday at $6.95, selling up to $6.02½.

THE CLOSE.

Prices at the close were as follows:

Wheat—Feb., 68¼c; May, 68⅛@68⅛c; July, 69c.

Corn—Feb., 31½c; May, 33½@33⅝c; July, 34⅛@34¼c.

Oats—Feb., 22½c; May, 23⅝c; July, 23⅜c.

Pork—Feb., $10.95; May, $11.12½; July, $11.17½.

Lard—Feb., $6.00; May, $6.12½@6.15; July, $6.22½.

Ribs—Feb., $5.95; May, $6.00@6.02½; July, $6.02½.

Flax—Cash N. W., $1.60; Cash S. W., $1.60; May, $1.60; Sept., $1.13½; Oct., $1.10.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Feb. 7.—Cattle—Receipts, 17,500; market generally 10@15c lower, including butchers' stock and canners; choice feeders steady; others easier.

Beeves, $4.00@6.00; cows, $3.00@4.30; heifers, $3.15@4.75; canners, $2.10@2.80; stockers and feeders, $3.20@4.90; Texas fed beeves, $4.00@5.10.

Hogs—Receipts today, 43,000; tomorrow, 30,000; left over, 2,251; market 5@10c lower; top, $4.92½. Mixed and butchers, $4.60@4.90; good to choice heavy, $4.75@4.92½; rough heavy, $4.60@4.70; light, $4.55@4.80; bulk of sales, $4.75@4.87½.

THE DAY ON WALL STREET.

New York, Feb. 7.—The market opened active and highly irregular under the influence of large profit-taking at some points and buying on a large scale at others. In the opening transactions 5,000 shares of Pennsylvania were taken with the resulting advance of 1⅛, and 8,500 shares of Union Pacific lifted that stock ⅜. Tobacco advanced 1⅜. Sugar, Norfolk and Western and a number of the specialties sagged on realization.

The movement of stocks process became more confused, weakness developing in numerous issues on realizations, while others forged up steadily on confidential buying. Pressure was most pronounced in the Iron and Steel properties, local group and Baltimore and Ohio.

Covering in Sugar rallied it 3 points, and there was a marked improvement in Anaconda Mining, Erie first preferred, Wisconsin Central and Chicago Terminal preferred. Near 11 o'clock the entire market reacted. Sugar going below 111 and Brooklyn Transit to 75, and a sharp fraction was clipped off prices of the standard stocks.

The reaction soon spent its force in the general list, but there were a few issues which continued downwards. A heavy buying movement in Metropolitan Street Railway rallied it 4 points and the other transactions 1@2½. Prices of other stocks improved all around. Union Pacific rising to 50. There was a shrinkage in the volume of business in bonds and prices were irregular.

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, Feb. 7.—Butter—Receipts, 6,317 pkgs; market steady; June creamery, 19@23½c; western creamery, 21@26c; factory, 16@19c.

Cheese—Receipts, 1,428 pkgs, market steady; fall made fancy large, 12¾@13c; fall made fancy small, 12¾@13c; large late made, 11¾@12c; small late made, 12@12½c.

Eggs—Receipts, 13,195 pkgs; market unsettled and lower; western, 14½@15c, loss off; western ungraded at mark, 13@14½c.

Sugar—Raw, strong; refined, firm.

Coffee—Market steady; No. 7 Rio, 8⅜c.

Molasses—Market steady.

THE MONEY MARKET.

New York, Feb. 7.—Money on call steady at 2½ per cent; prime mercantile paper, 4@5 per cent; sterling exchange irregular with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.87¼@4.87½ for demand and at $4.84½@4.84¾ for 60 days; posted rates, $4.85 and $4.88½; commercial bills, $4.83½; silver certificates, 58½@59½c; bar silver, 59⅜c; Mexican dollars, 47½c.

THE BOND MARKET.

New York, Feb. 7.—Government bonds strong:

U. S. 2s registered	102½
U. S. 3s registered	109⅝
U. S. 3s coupon	109⅝
U. S. 4s registered (new)	134
U. S. 4s coupon (new)	134
U. S. 4s registered (old)	115
U. S. 4s coupon (old)	115
U. S. 5s registered	113¾
U. S. 5s coupon	112¾

FORT WAYNE MARKETS.

(Corrected Weekly by S. Bash & Co.)

Fort Wayne, Ind., Feb. 7.—Flour—Spring Wheat, $4.40@4.60; winter, per bbl., $3.50@3.60; second class, $2.50@2.75; Graham, per sack, 30c.

Wheat—70c.
Corn Meal, Sifted—$1.25 cwt.
Oats—23@24c.
Rye—50@55c.
Corn—27@29c.
Oil Meal—$1.40.
Flax Seed—$1.45.
Clover Seed—$4.25@4.75.
Alsyke Clover Seed—$5.00@6.00.
Wool, Unwashed—20@25c.
Wool, Washed—25@28c.
Hides—Green, 8½c; salted, 9½c.
Calf Hides—Green, 10c.
Calf Hides—Salted, 12c.
Tallow—4@4½c lb.
Butter—16@17c.
Best Jar Butter—12@15c.
Lard—6c.
Eggs—15@16c.
Chickens—6½@7c.
Honey—15@18c.
Potatoes—40@45c.
Onions—40c.
Beeswax—25@26c.
Feathers—Live geese, 40@45c.
Bran—Ton, $15.00.
Hay—Timothy, $11.00@12.00.
Hay—Clover, $6.00@7.00.
Shorts—$15.00.
Middling—Ton, $15.00.
Pork—On foot, $4.60.
Pork—Dressed, $5.50.
Dressed Beef—Forequarters, 5½c.
Beef—Hindquarters, 7@7½c.

HUBLER UNION NEWS.

Our meeting and Sunday school wasn't a failure after all, if the weather was stormy. Rev. Evans was with us and gave a good talk. He was disappointed by not having a larger audience.

John Hubler is ill with a fever. It seems to be the California fever. We think when he gets there and finds a gold mine or an orange blossom he will be cured.

Allen McMaken thinks he could manage a farm all right, as he has been sole manager for a week during his father's illness. That is all right, but just wait until he gets his farm in Western Canada.

Mr. DeVilbiss, the nurseryman, was at Huntertown on business last week.

What's the matter with having a revival meeting at Hubler Union?

Our superintendent, in speaking of Rev. Evans, says he believes he is one of the ministers of Fort Wayne that is working for the good of the cause, and one that it takes more than a snow storm to discourage and turn back, for a minister that will face a snow storm for four miles like last Sunday is surely a true soldier for Christ, and he only regrets that he could not hear him.

Our superintendent has been detained at home a week on account of sickness.

Chauncey Poinsett has been talking of buying a farm in Western Canada, where there is supposed to be good hunting. He made preparation to go by purchasing a ferret, but when he got the ferret his hound took the rheumatism so he gave it up.

I wonder what was the matter with the teacher of the married people's class last Sunday. He was absent, also the class. I wonder if they have both resigned.

Peter Hubler, who has been ill for four months, is no better, and is gradually growing weaker.

Everybody come to the meeting Thursday evening. The subject is: "The New Life and the Uplifted Son of Man."

Rev. Smith will preach at the Chapel next Sunday at 2 o'clock. Sunday school immediately after preaching.

SILVER WEDDING.

Mr. and Mrs. David F. Opdyke celebrated their silver wedding at their pleasant home in Cedar Creek township last Saturday, February 5.

By 11 o'clock about one hundred invited guests and members of the family had assembled. The bride and groom of twenty-five years were addressed by the Lutheran pastor, Rev. Hershiser, of Maysville, who, in his pleasing manner, after a few remarks, reunited the couple and offered a short prayer. He presented the worthy couple a number of valuable gifts suitable to the occasion. A dozen silver tapoons, silver-headed cane, large China lamp, silver soup ladle, silver back dressing comb, silver butter knife, and a purse of about $50, the gift of a large number of friends present.

Mr. Opdyke in a feeling manner expressed the appreciation of himself and wife of the gifts and thanked the donors for their kindly remembrances. He was sorry so many had been unable to be present, but remembered them in letters expressing their regrets at not being present and wishing them a happy day and many happy returns. He concluded by inviting them out to dinner. The table fairly groaned under the weight of good things which usually appear on such occasions. The proverbial "minister's choice," chicken and turkey, were served in abundance, and the guests all did full justice to Mrs. Opdyke's well known culinary skill. After dinner the day was spent in renewing old acquaintances and in conversation. In the evening a number of the young people gathered and spent a very pleasant time. All united in expressing their enjoyment during the day and joined in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Opdyke another twenty-five years of happy married life and that their few clouds should have silver linings. Those present were:

From Leo—Frank Moss and wife, C. J. Schlatter, John Horn and wife, Joseph Martin and wife, William Bender and son, B. F. Fridrick, wife and daughter, J. Flannigan and wife, Dan Van Zile and wife, Mathias Paulen and wife, George Fredrick and wife, John Hensinger and wife, Hiram Hursh, Harmon Muller, Miss Mary Muller, Miss Emma Schlatter, Harmon Wertman, wife, son and daughter, Orange Goff and wife, Henry Hosler and wife, C. H. Brown and wife, Lewis McCartney and wife, C. Lamley and wife, Charles Eishburn, wife and daughter, Charles Fuller and wife, Frank Gaylord, Ethel Opdyke, Mabel Henderson, Charles Schlatter, Frank Schlatter, Mrs. B. J. Schlatter, Geo. Opdyke, Frank Muller, Harry Opdyke, William Muller, Clyde McCrory, Leonard Opdyke, Henry Fuller, Tillie Grosh; Charles Fitzgerald, Merton Arnold, Lloyd Hollopeter, Ray Hensinger, Hazel Fuller, Roy McCrory, John Amstutz, Leroy Amstutz, Daisy Swan, Cozy Swan, Lyman Schneider, Hattie Flannigan, Charles Opdyke, George Murphy, Clara Wertman, Ira Fredrick, Bertha Wertman, Grace Hollopeter, May Murphy, Alda Paulen, Marie Fuller, Inez Bender, Frank Disler, Lester Hensinger, Libbie Hosler, Albert Lochner, Orpha Bender, John Swan, Frank Klopfenstein, Jonas Klopfenstein, Curt Simanton.

From Cedarville—Mrs. M. A. Sterling, Miss Huldah Fulkerson, Tim Disler, wife, son and daughter, Ethel Lasher, Mrs. Crawford, Charles Crawford, Bertha Crawford, Ella Crawford, Roy Shuler, Bert Spitler, Leah Shuler, Irwin Tonkle.

From Spencerville—John Henderson and wife, T. S. Murray, David Butler, wife and daughter, Mrs. Dan Butler, Princess Butler, Glen Henderson, Raleigh Wyatt, Kathrine Henderson, Audrey Butler, Golden Murray.

From Hursh—M. L. Moudy and wife, William Wyatt and wife, David Stell and wife.

From Maysville—Rev. Hershiser, John Hursh, wife and son, Philip Bahrdt and wife.

From Huntertown—Stephen Ducat.

Cecil, O.—Jacob Revert and wife.

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No. 6 New England Fast Mail daily	11 55 a.m
No. 24 Atlantic Express	6 10 p.m

GOING WEST.

No. 7 Kansas City Cannon Ball, daily	10 02 a.m
No. 5 Government Fast Mail, daily	5 42 p.m
No. 3 St. Louis Limited, daily	8 20 p.m

Telephone, Bell-Home No. 6.

ALL TRAINS DAILY.

NICKEL PLATE

9—3-19-99

All trains arrive at and depart from Van Buren Street Union Passenger Station, Chicago.

Uniformed Colored Porters attend first and second class day coaches on thru trains, insuring scrupulously clean cars outside.

All Nickel Plate Passenger Trains Daily.

EASTWARD FROM FT. WAYNE.	DEPART
Standard Express, No. 5	2 25
Nickel Plate Express, No. 7	11 03
Eastern Express, No. 3	8 33
Local Freight	17 25
WESTWARD FROM FT. WAYNE.	DEPART
Standard Express, No. 8	2 05
Western Express, No. 1	11 15
Nickel Plate Express, No. 3	4 25
Local Freight	17 00

†Daily except Sunday. Light type A. M. Dark type P. M.

Thru Drawing Room Sleeping Cars on Nos. 2, 4 and 6 to Cleveland, Erie, Buffalo, New York and Boston; on Nos. 1, 3 and 5 to Chicago.

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THE FINDLAY, FT. WAYNE & WESTERN RAILWAY.

Effective Dec., 4th, 1899.

EAST BOUND.

Lv. Fort Wayne 7:05 a.m. arr. Findlay	9:50 a.m
Arr. Toledo (via G. H. D.)	10:40 a.m
arr. Cincinnati (via. G. H. D.)	4:55 p.m
arr. Columbus (via. T. & O. C.)	2:05 p.m

WEST BOUND.

" " 4:20 p.m. Arr. Fort Wayne	4:00 p.m
" Columbus (via. T. & O. C.) Arr Ft. W	4:00 p.m

All trains daily except Sunday.

Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway—Fort Wayne Branch.

SOUTHWARD.	ARRIVE
No. 462 Way Freight	2 10 p.m
No. 456 Cin. Express and Mail	10 50 a.m
No. 440 Detroit and Ind'pls Express	3 50 p.m
NORTHWARD	DEPART
No. 461 Way Freight	3 55 a.m
No. 455 Through Express & Mail	11 45 a.m
No. 439 Detroit and Ind'pls Express	4 45 p.m

TIME TABLE.

SOUTH.	
No. 41 leaves (except Sunday)	7 10 a.m
No. 43 daily	4 45 p.m
No. 171 Local Freight	5 30 a.m
NORTH.	
No. 40 arrives daily	11 40 a.m
No. 42 daily (except Sunday)	10 35 p.m
No. 170 Local Freight	4 40 p.m

Dyspepsia—bane of human existence. Burdock Blood Bitters cures it promptly, permanently. Regulates and tones the stomach.

Is it a burn? Use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. A cut? Use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. At your druggists.

Coughs and colds, down to the very borderland of consumption, yield to the soothing, healing influences of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup.

Only one remedy in the world that will at once stop itchiness of the skin in any part of the body; Doan's Ointment. At any drug store, 50 cents.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

JUDGE CIRCUIT COURT.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for judge of the Allen circuit court, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

EDWARD O'ROURKE.

SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for judge of the superior court, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention. JOHN H. AIKEN.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for judge of the superior court, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

THOMAS E. ELLISON.

SHERIFF.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for the office of sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

FRANK H. WHITNEY.

To the Voters of Allen County:—I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the nomination for sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic convention to be held this year.

FRANK FALKER.

Editor Sentinel—Please announce that I will be a candidate for sheriff of Allen county before the democratic nominating convention, subject to its decision. GEO. W. STOUT.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

Editor Sentinel—Please announce my name as a candidate for both the long and short terms of county commissioner of the First district, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

A. R. SCHNITKER.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce that I am a candidate for county commissioner of the First district, for the regular term, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

CHRISTIAN SCHLAUDROFF.

Editor Sentinel—Please announce that I am a candidate for county commissioner of the Second district, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

BENJ. M'QUISTON,
Washington Township.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce that I am a candidate for county commissioner from the Second district, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

M. L. MOUDY,
Cedar Creek Township.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for re-nomination for county commissioner from Third district, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

C. E. ORFF.

Editor Sentinel:—The many friends of Charles Griebel desire to announce his name as a candidate for county commissioner of Third district, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention, March 24.

Editor Sentinel—Please announce my name as a candidate for nomination for commissioner of the Third district, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention held March 24.

M. M. THOMPSON.

COUNTY ASSESSOR.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for county assessor, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention. WILLIAM EGGEMANN.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for county assessor, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention. JOS. TONKEL.

TRUSTEE WAYNE TOWNSHIP.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for trustee of Wayne township, subject to the decision of the township democratic nominating convention.

WM. GAFFNEY.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for trustee of Wayne township, subject to the decision of the Wayne township democratic nominating convention.

LOUIS SCHIRMEYER.

ASSESSOR WAYNE TOWNSHIP.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for assessor of Wayne township, subject to the decision of the township democratic nominating convention.

THOMAS S. M'GEE.

SHOP AND RAIL.

BIG TRAFFIC IN MERCHANDISE FOR SPRING TRADE.

FREIGHT HOUSES CROWDED

BIG TRADE IS EXPECTED AND BUYING IS LIBERAL.

A COREMAKER BADLY BURNED

OSWALD E. FIEDLER VICTIM OF AN ACCIDENT.

The immense piles of merchandise at the various freight houses in the city indicate a belief on the part of the merchants that the spring and summer trade will be very good—better in fact than it was last year or any of the preceding years. Goods of this character are arriving here by the train load and the freight handlers have to "hustle" to take care of it. When the weather is bad, as it was today, the merchants let their goods remain in the freight houses longer than they would under different weather conditions and then there is trouble for the freight house men.

UNDOUBTEDLY A FRAUD.

The Paris tourist and excursion agent has invaded the west, says the Kansas City Journal, and it behooves those intending to visit the Paris exposition to give the gentry a wide berth. The scheme is to form a club, and for a stated sum transportation both ways and board for four weeks is guaranteed, but the amount is so ridiculously low that it is hardly enough to cover the transportation charges, to say nothing of the heavy expense of living in Paris during the period of the exposition. The railroads decided some time ago that no reduction would be made in the rates to the exposition, and the steamships have decided to advance rates on account of the limited facilities. The Central Passenger association has decided not to grant special rates from its territory to the Paris exposition. Parties of ten or more will receive the same discounts that have been granted parties in the past, but no special fares will be established on account of the exposition.

JOINED THE COUNCIL.

A. G. Porter lodge, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, is represented now for the first time in the Trades and Labor council. At the meeting of the brotherhood Monday evening the following gentlemen were elected delegates to the council: C. M. Somers, F. S. Cordiway, G. W. Erwin, P. J. Harber and W. H. Perry. This is the first of the four great railway brotherhoods to affiliate with the council and it is the aim of the council to interest the others to the same extent.

JAPS IN CAR SHOPS.

Attention was called, a few days ago, to the invasion of American labor fields by the Japanese, and particular mention was made of the employment by the Great Northern of vast numbers of Japs to take the place of American section men. The Great Northern has begun to employ this kind of labor in its shops and at Hillyard, Wash., there are now thirty Japanese working as helpers to the car and locomotive repairers. They are paid much less than Americans, but are compelled to do as much work, if not more, than an American. The citizens of the town do not take kindly to the Japs and refuse to board them. The railway company fitted up a number of box cars and old cabooses in which to lodge the little foreigners, and they sleep and eat in these improvised houses in the railway yards or at the shops.

CARPENTERS HAVE GRIEVANCE

The carpenters and stonemasons employed by the Big Four have a grievance which threatens to involve themselves and others in a strike. The company abolished the rule allowing the men "time" while en route from their homes to the places where they are working and they have vigorously protested against the "cut." It is said the carpenters have the approval and sympathy of the men in the train service and if the trouble leads to a strike it will probably extend to the trainmen.

MOLDER BADLY BURNED.

The clothing of Oswald E. Fiedler, an employe at the Bass foundry, ignited from coming in contact with a hot core oven at 5 o'clock last evening and before the young man realized his peril, he was enshrouded in flames. The right arm, leg and side of the body and head were horribly burned before his comrades could extinguish the fire. The young man was conveyed to the home of his mother, Mrs. Theresa Fiedler, at 75 Smith street, where soothing remedies were applied by Dr. A. J. Kesler. The doctor believes the young man will recover, but there is before him a long and painful confinement before he can resume his place in the foundry. Mr. Fiedler is a brother of Bernard C. Fiedler, formerly of the Fort Wayne Electric corporation; Emil E., a painter at the Olds Wagon works, and Solomon Fiedler.

TWO MEN INJURED.

There were two accidents at the Wabash shops this morning, neither of which was serious. Joseph Carroll, a machinists' apprentice, was thrown down by the wrench with which he was tightening a bolt slipping. He fell on his side and sprained his right arm so that he could not work longer. He went to the Peru hospital this morning. Joseph Sack fell in an engine pit and sustained painful bruises to his left shoulder and arm. He will probably be off duty for three or four days.

JOINS THE CENTRAL.

Nickel Plate ticket agents have received notice to the effect that the company will cease selling Northern interchangeable mileage books on the tenth inst., and place on sale the mileage book of the Central Passenger association. The Northern association includes only ten lines, and only two of them are south of the lakes. Therefore the demand for the tickets in this territory is not very great and as a result the passenger business of the Nickel Plate has suffered. It is thought that the Lake Shore, the other line in this territory handling the Northern ticket, will follow the Nickel Plate shortly and also become a party in the Central Passenger association mileage book deal.

A NEW CLERK.

Otto Meyers took a position in Shop Clerk J. H. Hobrock's office, at the Pittsburg shops, this morning, succeeding Louis Steger, who assumed the clerical position in the machine shop vacated by Ben McFerran. There are still other changes to be made in the force of clerks at the shop, but Mr. Hobrock has not selected the men and announcement cannot be made today. Mr. Meyer is a prescriptionist and for nine years was employed in the drug store at the corner of Wayne and Calhoun streets, now owned by Pollens & Polster.

INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

Molder George Heckler, of the Kerr Murray works, is sick.

Master Mechanic B. Fitzpatrick is in Chicago today on railway business.

Master Mechanic J. E. Keegan, of the Grand Rapids road, is in the city today.

Engines 14 and 6 have gone to the Nickel Plate shops at Stony Island for light repairs.

Nickel Plate Brakeman W. S. Barlow, who was on the sick list, reported for duty yesterday.

H. D. Kilgore, traveling passenger agent of the Pennsylvania company, was in the city this morning.

A. Burchard and F. D. Lindemuth, of the Pittsburg planing mills, are off duty on account of sickness.

Sickness in his family prevents Engineer W. L. Scott from going out on his run on the Pittsburg road.

Investigation shows that some 13,000 passenger agents were receiving commissions on sales of tickets up to February 1.

Frank Brown, purchasing agent for the Pennsylvania company, went to Pittsburg this morning in his official capacity.

Machinist James Smith resumed work at the Wabash shops this morning, after an absence on account of sickness of a week.

The Kansas City, Pittsburg and Gulf railroad system will be sold at auction March 19. The sale will take place at Joplin, Mo.

Engineer P. Reilly, of the Pennsylvania, is off duty on account of the death of a relative in Chicago. He has gone to attend the funeral.

Engineers B. F. Campbell, P. T. Walsh and C. F. Somers, who had been on the sick list, reported for duty on the Pittsburg this morning.

The Grand Army of the Republic has asked Chicago terminal lines and the Pullman company to contribute $66,500 to the national encampment.

In January there were handled on the Big Four system 504,670 passengers, against 439,053 in January, 1899, an increase this year of 65,617.

Nickel Plate Yardmaster H. R. Bowden, who had been spending a few days with his wife and children at Cleveland, returned here last night.

E. W. Bentel, draftsman at the Bass works, resumed his place at the desk this morning, after an absence of two weeks on account of an abscess in his ear.

Harry Taylor, clerk at the Pittsburg freight house, is receiving congratulations today upon the arrival of an heir, one of the brightest little boys in the city. This is the first child in the family.

The Pittsburg locomotive works has promised to deliver next month the three new heavy freight engines ordered by Receiver Malott, of the Vandalia.

Conductor G. B. McCormick and Brakeman O. H. Lillie, who were sick, have resumed work on the Nickel Plate. Mr. McCormick had the rheumatism.

Master Mechanic William Crighton of the Kerr Murray works, has returned from Chicago, where he spent a few days in directing some work for the company.

The men employed in the machine and tool rooms at the Bowser works are employed twelve and a half hours daily, so crowded are those departments with orders.

The Indiana Car Service association handled in January 23,852 cars, the largest number in any month since established. The average detention was 1.62 days.

E. S. Philley will remove his bending factory from Eaton, Ind., to Celina, Ohio. Mr. Philley was for many years freight agent of the Lake Shore in this city.

George Danner and Jerry Ryan, boilermakers at the Bass works, are off duty, the latter on account of sickness and the former because of the serious illness of his wife.

The new freight depot of the Illinois Central at Decatur is about completed. The building is 200 feet long by 100 feet wide and well arranged for loading and unloading freight.

The Central Passenger association announces excursion rates to Anderson February 12 and 13, League of Republican clubs; and to Logansport March 29 and 30, Teachers' association.

Joseph Garry, the old blacksmith who has been suffering from an attack of rheumatism for six weeks, was able to resume his place at the forge in the Pittsburg shops this morning.

Conductor J. D. Blakesley, of the Pittsburg, slipped on the ice yesterday and fell against a moving freight train, sustaining several bruises, which will cause him to lay off for a few days.

Engineer Charles McKendry took Wabash switch engine No. 4 to Montpelier this morning, where it will go into service. This engine received general repairs in the shops in this city.

James Laughlin, of the Pittsburg planing mills, was called to Richmond, Ind., this morning by a message stating that his mother was lying dangerously ill at her home in that city.

W. M. Miller, boilermaker, was struck in the eye this morning by a chip of steel at the Pittsburg shops. The accident, while no permanent injury will result, is severe enough to keep Mr. Miller from his work a week or two.

Yesterday the Bass Foundry and Machine company placed an order on its books for two 150-horse-power boilers for the Mantowoc Clay company, of Kendallville, Ind. The company yesterday shipped a large steel heater to the Raymore Mines, W. Va.

J. O. Fitch, manager of the elevator of the Big Four at Clark's Hill, last week offered a sack of flour to the man who would haul the largest load of corn to the elevator, and Charles Loveless won the prize, hauling 157 bushels and forty-four pounds in one load.

Circulars are being circulated east from the Missouri Pacific in which it is stated that this company will pay $5 commissions on business south of St. Louis. If the circular is a bona fide one it is the entering wedge to trouble in enforcing the nonpayment of commissions on tickets sold.

George Garlow, who has been stopping with relatives at Conneaut, Ohio, for a month, is here to see Dr. J. M. Dinnen and called upon his friends at the Nickel Plate yard office yesterday. Two or three months ago Mr. Garlow met with an accident on the road which cost him his left foot.

Frank A. Watts, of the Wabash machine shop, is entertaining his sister, Miss Laura Watts, of Van Wert, Ohio, who arrived in the city Monday. The father of Miss and Mr. Watts is the master mechanic of the Cincinnati Northern road, with headquarters at Van Wert, and is quite well known to railway men in this city.

It is claimed that great financial importance attaches to a deal by which the control of the Western New York and Pennsylvania passes to A. J. Cassatt, president of the Pennsylvania road, and interests with which he is identified. It is thought to be part of a plan agreed upon by Mr. Cassatt and William K. Vanderbilt by which the Pennsylvania will abandon certain territory tributary to the New York Central and Vanderbilt systems while the Vanderbilt lines are to abstain from competition with the Pennsylvania in other sections of country.

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REPUBLICAN CLUB LEAGUE

TWELFTH ANNUAL CONVENTION AT ANDERSON.

Fort Wayne Gentlemen Prominent in the Meeting Next Week—The Complete Program.

Anderson, Ind., Feb. 7.—(Special.)—Fort Wayne gentlemen have been accorded a prominent position on the program for the twelfth annual convention of the Indian State League of Republican clubs in this city next Monday and Tuesday, Feb. 12 and 13, and a large delegation is expected from that city. The Linden quartet, of Fort Wayne, will sing at several sessions, Chairman H. G. Keegan will respond to a sentiment at the banquet, W. E. Doud is a member of the advisory committee, and Henry Hild is manager for the Twelfth district.

On Monday at 1 p. m. the committee on resolutions will meet at the Grand hotel; the committee on credentials will meet at Hotel Doxey, and the committee on rules and order of business will meet at Hotel Anderson. The sessions proper open Monday at 2:30 p. m. at the Grand opera house, with F. E. Holloway as chairman.

THE PROGRAM.

Following is the complete program:

Music .....Band
Welcome address .....
.....Mayor M. M. Dunlap
Music .....Linden quartet
Response—"The League".....
.....President N. W. Gilbert
Music .....Band
Address—"The Day We Celebrate"
.....James E. Watson, M. C.
—7:30 p. m.—Grand Opera House.—
Chairman, Charles L. Henry.
Music .....Band
Music .....Linden quartet
Address .....John D. Wellman
Music .....Linden quartet
Address.....Booker T. Washington
Music .....Band
—10 p. m.—Banquet, Hotel Anderson.—
Toastmaster, E. E. Hendee.
"The League: Put Thy Hands Between the King's Hands".....
.....A. M. Higgins
"The Republican Editor".....
.....W. B. Campbell
Music .....Linden quartet
"Burnt District Republicanism"..
.....E. H. Bundy
"The Administration"..A. O. Marsh
Music .....Linden quartet
"Lincoln".....J. Frank Hanly
"America".....Linden quartet
"Morton".....John B. Cockrum
"The Army and Navy".....
.....Frederick Landis
"The Hero: Lawton" .....
.....Hugh G. Keegan
"The Pocket's Gift to the Nation"
.....G. A. Cunningham
"An Angel of Light"..Ira C. Batman
"The Coming Campaign".....
.....C. S. Hernly
Auld Lang Syne.
—Tuesday, 9 a. m.—Grand Opera House.—
N. W. Gilbert, President.
Annual convention of Indiana State League of Republican clubs.

BIG ESTATES ARE DIVIDED.

Oshkosh, Wis., Feb. 7.—Two wills, aggregating $1,250,000, were filed today. The will of the late Hiram Smith, of Neenah, who left an estate valued at $1,000,000, after dividing about $50,000 among various relatives and friends, names his widow and two daughters, Mrs. Bessie Porter, of Minneapolis, and Hattie Smith, of Neenah, as residuary legatees. One of the largest legacies was $10,000 to the Neenah Presbyterian church. John Buckstaff, of this city, by will has divided an estate of $300,000 among his three sons, George A. Buckstaff and D. C. Buckstaff, of this city, and John Allen Buckstaff and Aaron Buckstaff, of Lincoln, Neb. A daughter, Mrs. William Rogge, of this city, gets $5,000 and the income from $15,000.

CUBANS DISLIKE AMERICANS.

New York, Feb. 7.—"While there is a placid surface on affairs in Cuba," said Major W. R. Graham, of the paymaster's department of the army, who returned from Havana on the Ward line steamship Mexico, "there is a seething undercurrent, and I would not be surprised at an insurrection any day. The Cubans want the Americans out of Cuba." More than this Major Graham would not say.

GOVERNOR TANNER ILL IN BED

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 7.—Governor Tanner is confined to his bed at the executive mansion with a serious attack of stomach trouble and all visitors are denied. He has been unable to be at his office at the statehouse since last Friday.

VALUABLE RELICS SECURED.

Washington, Feb. 7.—Representative Kahn, of San Francisco, has received a letter from Dr. Robert Davies, of that city, telling of the successful efforts he has made to secure from England the gravestone of Lawrence and Elizabeth Washington, ancestors of George Washington, which he desires to have deposited in the Washington monument or the Smithsonian institute.

Mr. Davies located the stone in the churchyard at Wiltshire and identified it by the family coat of arms. He has been negotiating with the parish authorities since then and has finally overcome all obstacles to bringing the relics to America. Mr. Kahn will lay the matter before the authorities here.

NEW POWER FOR STREET CARS.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 7.—Arthur E. Stillwell, builder of the Kansas City, Pittsburg and Gulf railroad, and until last year its president, is organizing the American Vimotion Car company, which owns patents for a gasoline engine, which, it is claimed, will minimize the expense of operating street cars. Mr. Stillwell will be president of the company and have associated with him Jesse M. Thompson, of California, said to be the inventor of the cable car system, and George J. Atkins, of Chicago, owners of the patent to be used by the new concern. The company will, Mr. Stillwell says, have a capital of $5,000,000, will construct a manufacturing plant at Indianapolis, an assembling plant in Kansas City and have offices in New York, Chicago and Kansas City.

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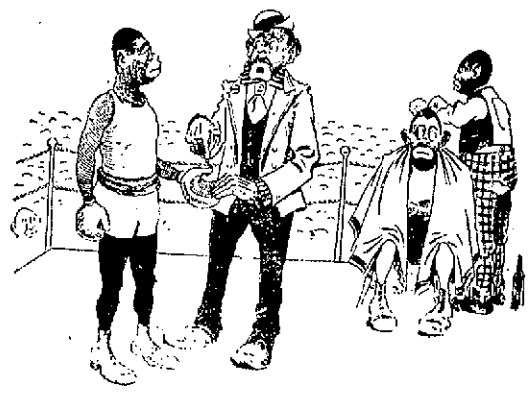
THE LAST STRAW.

Gladys Slocum—First his fiancee got a bicycle, den she took ter bloomers, den she bought a derby hat an' a shirt front, returned his valentine an' his heart busted.
Mary Fourhundred—O, Gladys, how beautiful.

HORSE SHOE LUCK.



Referee—Dar's a hoss shoe in yo' glove, an' I declar' de fight off.
Champion—Dat's oney dar fo' luck, boss, oney fo' luck.

The Citizens' Trust Co. pays 3 per cent. on deposits of any amount. $400,000 security for depositor. Cor. Berry and Clinton Sts. 16tf

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Choice qualities in the always desirable black silks, at $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50 per yard. Beautiful silks for waists, a bewildering variety to choose from, 75c, $1.00 and up.

Black Goods.

Our black goods supremacy is unquestioned. Never before have we shown such a variety of popular black fabrics, and they are priced right, although the market is advancing, and we cannot promise such values later.

Dress Goods.

We are ready to show you the best and most attractive stock of spring dress fabrics ever brought to this city, comprising the very latest productions of the best foreign and domestic makers. Choice styles in pattern dresses exclusive with us.

Granites, Serges, Cheviots, Tweeds, Prunella, Challies, Batiste, Albetross, Bereige, Venetian, Broadcloths, in all the desirable shades.

Wash Goods.

Dainty designs, and rich color effects, in the new ginghams and percales. See them while they are fresh. The early selections are the best.

Special offerings in fine Madras, and Corded Ginghams, at 7½c, 10c, 15c and 25c per yard.

Fine English Percales in light and dark styles. 8c, 10c and 12½c per yard.

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Are here in great profusion, beautiful in design, excellent in quality, low in price.

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The Evening Sentinel.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 7, 1900.

OUR TELEPHONES.

Business Office..... 173
Editorial Rooms..... 650

THE WEATHER.

Chicago, Feb. 7.—Forecast for Indiana—Rain, turning to snow flurries by Thursday morning; snow in south portion Thursday; much colder, with a cold wave; high southerly, shifting to northerly, winds Thursday.

LOCAL NEWS.

George Zeimer has been appointed administrator of the estate of Josiah Classon, deceased.

Mr. and Mrs. Kahn, of Indianapolis, are in Fort Wayne, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Samuel S. Fisher.

There was no police court this morning. Affairs have been real dull with the police for a week and for six days there have been no prisoners arraigned in court.

Mrs. J. M. Sutton, of Lima, O., is the guest of her mother, Mrs. E. W. Parks, of Madison street. Mrs. Sutton will be remembered as Miss Gertrude Toy, formerly of this city.

Tom Cloud, Lawton's coachman, was in trouble last evening and spent several hours at the police station. He had imbibed too freely and went to the depot. The warmth of the depot soon had him considerably the worse for the liquor and he was taken to the police station. After a few hours he was released.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR AND MAPLE SYRUP.

Fresh Buckwheat, 10-lb pkgs., 35c.
Self Raising Buckwheat, 5-lb pkgs., 25c.
Virginia Pancake Flour, 2-lb pkgs., 10c.
Vermont Maple Syrup, 75c gallon.
New York Maple Syrup, gallon cans, 75c.
Lyndon Maple Syrup goods, 35c.
WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

F. G., Frank's Choice, Eclipse, all 5 cent cigars in the city. Sold everywhere.

EGGS DOWN TO 15c DOZEN.
BUTTER DOWN TO 20c POUND.

Fresh Country Eggs, 15c dozen.
Best Roll Butter, 20c lb.
Good Jar Butter, 15c lb.
WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

B. E. Gates, of Columbia City, was in Fort Wayne Tuesday.

The architect firm of Meyer & Stock has dissolved partnership.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Rowey will give a party on Friday evening for their sons, Walter and Edwin.

R. L. Romy and daughter, Viola, are among those who will go to Mexico on the excursion on February 14.

William Duerk, of Auburn, is in the city the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. VanMeter, of West Superior street.

Mrs. Thomas Barber, of Antwerp, Ohio, is in the city the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Doud. Mrs. Barber and Mrs. Doud are sisters.

Miss Wilson and Miss Carrie Wilson have issued invitations for a guessing party for Friday afternoon in honor of Miss Ferguson.

Mrs. Martin Gross, assisted by Mrs. John Heller, will entertain the members of the Tuesday club and gentlemen at dinner this week.

At the last meeting of the Fort Wayne Mercantile Accident association Mr. Dan Hudgell was elected president and Mr. G. W. Pixley secretary.

The business sessions of the Letter Carriers' association will be held in the United States court room in the government building. The social session, banquet and ball will be held in Maccabee hall, 107 Calhoun street.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Gates have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Maud May, to Arthur McClellan, which will occur at their home on East Williams street on Wednesday evening, the 21st, at 8 o'clock.

Miss Mary Smyser entertained a party of friends at a dinner party in the private dining room of the Wayne hotel on Tuesday evening in honor of Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Dodez. The table was decorated with palms and smilax.

Fred Crall won the billiard game from Sam Wolf last night by a score of 110 to 84, in thirty-nine innings. The winner's high run was 13 and the loser's 7. Crall's average was 2¾. The game this evening will be between Professor Thomas and Fred Crall.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rossell have issued cards announcing the marriage of their daughter, Miss Evelyn Campbell Rossell to Cornell Morganthaler, which occurred Thursday, February 1. Mr. and Mrs. Morganthaler will be at home at 241 Washington boulevard after March 1.

While Mr. and Mrs. William Moore, of Springfield township, were driving close to the bank of the St. Joe river the wheels of their wagon suddenly sank into a deep rut, throwing both the lady and gentleman over the embankment into the water. Neither was injured beyond the shock of the icy bath.

A new social organization, composed of about fifty young gentlemen, whose purpose is to reform and purify society, was formed Tuesday evening, with officers as follows: M. S. Edsall, president; G. F. R. Cummerow, secretary; Will Oppenheimer, treasurer; Guy Colerick, janitor. The society will be known as the Annanias club and its members are for the most part young attorneys and law students.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bell charmingly entertained at progressive pedro on Tuesday evening in honor of J. G. Duke, of Mississippi, who is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bell and the Drs. Barnett. The rooms were handsomely decorated for the evening. The first prize was won by Miss Edith Zollars and Will Olds was awarded the consolation. Both prizes were handsome silver spoons. The booby souvenir, a thimble, was awarded to Will McKinnie.

CARD OF THANKS.

I desire to return my heartfelt thanks to my neighbors and friends and to the members of the Tribe of Ben Hur for their many acts of kindness during the sicknes and death of my beloved husband, Will Conover.

MRS. EMMA CONOVER.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire in this manner to thank our friends, neighbors and members of the Young Men's Sodality for kindness and assistance rendered in our late bereavement.

MR. AND MRS. D. J. O'NEIL AND FAMILY.

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On Real and Personal security at 5 per cent., 6 per cent. and 7 per cent. rates, according to loans.

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Pure Apple Jelly, hand made. 6c lb.
Gold Dust Washing Powder. 4-lb package. 15c.
Soapine and Pearline. 2 pkgs., 5c.
Corn Starch, 1-lb pkgs., 4c.
Electric Luster Starch, 1-lb pkg., 7c.
Merry War Lye, 4c can.
German Bird Seed, 1-lb pkgs., 4c.
THE GREATEST GROCERY.

Masters Joachin and George Ryder of Boone street, are able to attend school again after a severe attack of grip.

Miss Tena Ehinger entertained friends Tuesday at her home, 102 East Main street, in honor of Miss Celia and Floyd Smith, of Decatur.

H. J. Raymore, of Albany, N. Y., president of Raymore Piano company, is in the city and has placed the agency of their pianos with A. Spiegel.

The Women's Foreign Missionary society of the Simpson M. E. church will hold their regular monthly meeting at the church Thursday afternoon at 2:30. A full attendance is desired.

S. L. Sperry, of Andover, O., has just arrived in Fort Wayne and will remain with his sister, Mrs. Ida M. Sperry for some time. Mr. Sperry is in poor health and will take medical treatment.

ELECT NEW OFFICERS.

The Riverside Land company has elected new officers as follows: John Ferguson, president and treasurer; Charles McCulloch, secretary; John Ferguson, J. H. Bass, J. W. White, Charles McCulloch and F. W. Antrup, directors. This company owns a fine tract of 120 acres along the St. Joe river north of the Indiana school for feeble minded youth.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

John Feser and Libby E. Porter.
Arlow B. Hines and Z. Gertrude McKee.

TOMORROW

WE OPEN OUR ANNUAL SALE OF REMNANTS.

Previous to inventory we desire to close out all shirt lengths on hand and to accomplish this we place such extremely low prices on these remnants that ladies unhesitatingly buy them and buy them freely.

For instance, we find over 500 silk remnants in our department, ranging from 1 to 12 yards, in Taffeta, Plain, Brocade, Corded, Striped Silks, in black and colors.

We mark them as remnant just one-half their correct selling value.

The same condition in our dress goods department. All remnants of dress fabrics, from the cheapest to the highest grade are marked at one-half price.

Remnants of ribbons, laces, embroideries, trimmings, linens, linings, sheetings, muslins, ginghams, challies, white goods, velvets, carpets, curtain goods.

Yard wide muslins (remnants) 3c yard.

Calico remnants, 3c yard.

Cotton toweling remnants, 3c yard.

This sale should attract the attention of mothers and housekeepers generally. Come early for best selections.

Ladies' jackets marked down to $5, $6 and $8. Were up to $20.

THE FRANK DRY GOODS CO.

Ask your dealer for the Eclipse 5 cent Cigar.

Mrs. Clara Diana Stacy has been requested to repeat the talk on "Diet, Hygiene and Dress," which will be given at Kimball hall Thursday, February 8th, at 2:30 p. m. All ladies interested in these Viavi health talks are invited. 6-2t

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Monday evening at Bethany Presbyterian church a choral class was organized of boys and girls ranging in age from ten to fifteen years. The class will be under the management of Mrs. Breckenridge, wife of the pastor, who is a skilled musician. They will meet once a week for practice at the church parlors. The only restriction on the membership is that the pupil must not be under ten years of age or over sixteen and must be an enrolled member of Bethany Sunday school. The only expense to the pupil will be the cost of a book once in awhile.

Huntington Herald: "Thirty years ago, February 3d, Col. O. E. Briant moved to this city, and has ever since been prominently identified with the best interests of Huntington. February 4, 1870, Wilson Bell and William Briant, the latter a chunk of a boy 14 years old, drove the cattle to this place, requiring two days in which to make the trip from New Haven. The anniversary was socially celebrated at the Briant home Sunday."

Mrs. Dominick Moran and son, of this city, were in Huntington yesterday to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. Fuseelman.

Grim Grip's Grasp

Fastens Alike Upon Young and Old. The Delicate, the Weak, the Infirm and the Worn-out Fall Easy Victims.

The microbes of La Grippe are everywhere. They contaminate the water we drink, they infest the food we eat, they borough in our clothing and the very air we breathe is swarming with them. They are so small that thousands of them can lie clustered on the point of a needle, yet they multiply so rapidly that the whole body may become infested with them in a few hours.

To the healthy and strong grip germs need have no terrors, for they cannot live in a body that is full of nerve force and vital power. But to the weak, delicate, run-down and exhausted they are an ever-present menace. To all such, whether old or young, Dr. Miles' Nervine offers the best and surest means of guarding against these death-dealing microbes.

It is grip's most formidable foe, going to the very root of the disease and promptly driving it out. It builds up the worn-out nerve tissues and fortifies the system against the depressing after effects.

"Our eight-year-old son, Ralph, who is naturally a delicate boy, had a severe attack of La Grippe last winter, and it left him with a severe cough. This wore on him so that his nerves became seriously affected and we became alarmed over his condition. He could scarcely sleep an hour during the whole night and was growing daily weaker and weaker, when we took the advice of a friend and bought him a bottle of Dr. Miles' Nervine. The first night he was able to sleep much better, his appetite began to pick up and before the second bottle was gone he was able to return to school feeling cheerful and hearty as ever."

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OUR GLORIOUS COUNTRY.

Have you watched its marvelous growth? If not, The Weekly Enquirer wants to study the strides it has made. The first census of the United States was taken in 1810. Since then every succeeding ten years. The result has been as follows:

Year.	Population.	Year.	Population.
1810	7,239,881	1860	31,443,321
1820	9,633,822	1870	38,558,371
1830	12,866,020	1880	50,155,783
1840	17,069,453	1890	62,622,250
1850	23,191,876		

Here you have the figures of a basis of calculation. The problem now is: What will be the population of the United States, excluding recent acquisitions. The result is usually announced in July of the census year.

THE WEEKLY ENQUIRER is anxious to engage all in a study of their country. To this end it will distribute cash amounting to $25,000, for solutions received of the population of the United States Census, as follows:

To the first nearest correct guess received	$3,000.00
To the second	1,500.00
To the third	750.00
To the fourth	500.00
To the fifth	250.00
To the sixth	200.00
To the seventh	150.00
To the next 10, each $100, amounting to	1,000.00
To the next 50, each $50, amounting to	2,500.00
To the next 100, each $25, amounting to	2,500.00
To the next 500, each $10, amounting to	5,000.00
To the next 1,000, each $5, amounting to	7,650.00
2197 cash presents amounting to	$25,000.00

In case of a tie, money equally divided.

Every guess on the above proposition must be accompanied by a year's subscription to the WEEKLY ENQUIRER.

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VEGETABLES.

Tomatoes	5c	Corn	5c
Peas	5c	Succatash	5c
String beans	5c	Turnips	5c
Potatoes	5c	All vegetables	5c

Coffee	5c a cup
Tea	5c a cup
Hot Soup	5c a bowl
Hot Roast Beef	10c a cut
Hot Roast Pork	10c a cut
Hot Roast Veal	10c a cut
All meats served at mealtime	10c
Bread and Butter	5c
Pie, large cut	5c
Rolls	5c
Doughnuts	5c

Served at the Counter or Table between 11:30 to 1:30.

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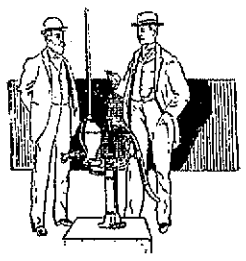

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